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SEVEN MOUNTAIN ROUTE O. K.

Report False that Road Over Seven Mountains Would be Eliminated from Sproul Road Bill.

A report reached the south side of Centre county that the route between Centre Hall and Lewistown was to be stricken from the Sproul road bill. While this was scarcely believable, the report occasioned considerable annoyance, for no one was certain but that parties not interested in this section of Centre county might be conniving to have this route eliminated in order to secure advantage for some more favored section in Centre county. Had Mr. Meyer been living, there would have been no need for alarm, but with him out of the way, there was an opportunity to give the south side of the county a rap. Realizing this condition, a number of citizens took up the matter, and got into communication with Hon. Joseph Alexander, representing this senatorial district. A telegram was sent Senator Alexander by The Centre Reporter, inquiring whether or not this route had been stricken from the bill and whether or not he would interest himself in behalf of the citizens of the south side of Centre county. His reply came that the route was retained in the bill when it passed the senate, and further gave assurance that he would do all in his power to have it remain should an effort be made to kill it.

The route in question leads from Lewistown to Centre Hall, where it intersects with the route from Lewisburg to Bellefonte. How the story got into circulation, if untrue, that the route was to be stricken from the bill, or why any one should wish it to be, is a mystery.

Terms of Judges.

When to elect common pleas court judges is a question that requires a decision of the supreme court, and a test case is now pending, the court having the case before them. The amendment to the constitution provides that judges shall be elected in odd numbered years, but no provision was made to extend the terms of judges whose terms expire in even numbered years as does that of Judge Ellis L. Orvis, who was elected in 1904. A law was passed extending the term of the judges whose terms expire with Mr. Orvis, and others later on in even numbered years, but it is contended that the law is unconstitutional, because that a judge's term can be extended only by an amendment to the constitution. Another question has arisen: Has the governor the right to appoint the successor to Judge Orvis, until an election may be had in 1915, or can his successor be elected in 1913? The supreme court must decide.

Centre Hall vs. State College.

Saturday afternoon, on the local diamond, the first game of base ball of the season will be played between the Centre Hall and State College nines. The local team will have a formidable foe, and a good game is assured.

Rebersburg.

Mrs. Charles Bierly is at present on the sick list.

Mrs. Herbert Smull, who had been ill, has improved.

Irvin Schreckengast, of Tylersville, spent Friday in town on business.

Mrs. Stauffer's brother and sister, of Harrisburg, are visiting in this place.

T. H. Harter, a lumberman from Loganton, spent Thursday in this place.

Mrs. Susan Long, daughter of Thomas Royer, is visiting in this place.

Mr. Shilling, of Rockville, is at present doing some carpenter work for H. G. Krape.

Mrs. Kreamer, widow of the late Reuben Kreamer, is making her home with William Hubler, at Rockville.

Since spring weather has come the farmers have been very busy and at present there is not an idle man in this vicinity.

The Northern Conference of the Woman's Home and Foreign Missionary Society of the Lutheran Synod of Central Pennsylvania will meet at Tusseyville, June 6 h and 7th. The officers of the society are these: President, Miss A. R. Keiser; Vice President, Mrs. A. R. Gilbert; Secretary, Miss Byrd Stover; Treasurer, Mrs. T. S. Minary.

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CENTRE HALL LECTURE COURSE.

A Brief Sketch of the Five Attractions—The Best Course Secured.

As was briefly stated some time ago in these columns, the Centre Hall Lecture Course Committee closed a contract with the Central Lyceum Bureau, Harrisburg, for five attractions for the course during next winter. The committee is convinced that it has the five best attractions it has yet secured. The dates on which they will appear cannot be given at this time, for it is owing to the fact that the committee permits the Lyceum to name its own dates that attractions of the character secured can be had for the money estimated to be realized on the sales of course tickets and door receipts in a community like this.

It is proposed to again sell course tickets for one dollar, but the general admission for the musicals will no doubt be increased over that of a year and two years ago. The attractions on the course are as follows:

(1.) Musical—The Commonwealth Male Quartette. A. L. Hipson, first tenor; E. S. Glines, second tenor and accompanist; A. H. Carpenter, baritone and reader; A. A. Logan, basso. The more serious numbers are characterized by that perfect harmony which makes the music of four male voices so delightful, while the humorous selections are ably interpreted by bits of life and action. The program is in three parts:

Part I. Solos, readings, folk songs.

Part II. Selections upon bamboo chimes, musical glasses, zolophones.

Part III. Musical sketch in costume, introducing feature songs and novelties.

(2.) Lecture—Governor Robert B. Glenn, was born in Rockingham county, North Carolina, in 1857. His father was a lineal decendant of Dr. Chalmers, of Scotland, and his mother a great niece of Washington Irving. On beginning the practice of law, in 1878, he located at Winston-Salem, North Carolina, and has lived there since. He began his political career in the state legislature; was a district elector and later an elector-at-large for Grover Cleveland, prosecuting attorney, member of the state senate in 1898, and in 1904 was elected governor of North Carolina. He is a typical southern orator, a strong and vigorous speaker, logical and convincing, and sways his audience at will to laughter or tears.

(3.) Lecture—Dr. Gabriel R. Maguire. His title to lecture rests upon his natural talents, his superior education, and his wonderful achievements. He read a book, "Stanley's Darkest Africa," and dreamed a dream, and started for Africa and was the first white man up the Congo after Stanley came down. He is a physical giant, a warm blooded and enthusiastic Irishman, vigorous in thought, spontaneous in humor, strong in his convictions, fearless in presenting his message, and is full of faith, hope and love for man, and wins his way everywhere.

In Carnegie Hall, New York City, Dr. Maguire, before an audience of six thousand people, made a plea for the Christian Missionary Alliance and secured from them in cash contributions $100,000. At the close of the address Dwight L. Moody gave him a substantial check and insisted that he go at once to Northfield and deliver the same address to his students, which he did.

His subjects are "With an Irishman through the Jungles of Africa," "An Irishman's Trip Through Europe," "Ireland and the Irish," "Six Years on the Dark Continent."

(4.) Lecture—Dr. Dan McGurk. He is a native of Pittsburg, and has practical experience on two continents. He has occupied with distinction the past four years the pulpit of Grand Avenue Methodist Episcopal church in Kansas City, Missouri, a pulpit made famous by a brilliant line of preachers. His voice rings true upon every great civic, social and national problem—well endowed by nature, well equipped by study, reading and observation, keeping close to men, he cannot fail to inspire and help every audience to which he speaks. His themes are live, his presentations interesting and attractive, and his power as a speaker very effective.

(5.) Musical—The Original Carolinian Jubilee Singers. This company is one of the oldest jubilee companies in existence, having been originally organized in 1882 and reorganized in 1891. The musicians now in the company have sung together for eleven consecutive years and in that time have given over twenty-four hundred concerts. They have a repertoire of over three hundred songs and give a program of unusual variety, including solos, quartettes, old plantation songs, negro melodies, and a great variety of old

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CENTRAL PA. I. O. O. F. CELEBRATE

4000 Men in Pageant at Berwick—Renovo the Next Place of Meeting.

All records were broken at Berwick, Thursday of last week, by the Central Pennsylvania Odd Fellows' Anniversary Association in the celebration of the ninety-second anniversary of the founding of Odd Fellowship.

The twenty bands with 800 musicians, and with 4000 Odd Fellows in line, made a parade three miles in length, with the gaily-plumed patriarchs militant, of whom there were several hundred, leading.

One hundred and fifty orphans from the Sunbury Orphans' Home, wards of the Odd Fellows in the district, were a centre of attention everywhere. The climax of the parade was the massing of the bands under the direction of J. O. Boyles, director of the Berwick Band, and the rendition of "Onward, Christian Soldiers," to which music the patriarch militants marched.

Nathan Martz, of Mauch Chunk, believed to be the oldest Odd Fellow in the state, was present and participated in the celebration, together with fully a half score who have been affiliated with the order for the last fifty years.

Renovo easily captured next year's event, winning out over Lewisburg with forty votes, each of the other two contestants getting eleven. Officers were re-elected as follows:

William H. Kiess, president; Henry B. Eberly, secretary, and Abe A. Myers, treasurer. They are all of Williamsport.

Addresses were delivered by Chief Burgess Hetler, who turned over to the fraternity the bronze key of the city; the Rev. John H. Barb, district deputy grand master of Lycoming county, and Perry A. Shanor, grand marshall of the Grand Lodge, of Pittsburg.

Band concerts and the conferring of the first degree by Brady Lodge No. 116, of Muncy, were features of the evening, with the carnival spirit running high.

LOCALS.

Perry Breon is having an addition built to the rear portion of his dwelling house. The work is being done by the Feidler carpenter gang.

A lady's plaid jacket was lost on the road between the residences of D. G. Wagner and Miss. Mary Potter. The finder will please return same to this office.

A great many gates are needed on the farm. There's the propagate, the fumigate, the irrigate, the subjugate, the big gate and the little gate, and others that might be mentioned.

Before you buy, scan the advertisements in the Centre Reporter. The business man who advertises should have your trade, for he is alive to the interests of the community.

Mrs. Catherine Gose, a sister of the late David, Andrew and Enoch Gearhart, celebrated at her home in Osceola, a few days ago, her ninety-fifth anniversary. She is remarkably hale and hearty for one so advanced in years.

Hon. Harry W. Shoemaker, of New York, and his associate, G. Scott Smith, formerly of Jersey Shore, have purchased the leading paper in Bridgeport, Connecticut, at a cost of over $150,000. Mr. Shoemaker will be recalled as an occasional contributor to the Centre Reporter.

The Standard Steel Works are beginning to show substantial evidence of returning prosperity. One of its most recent orders was from the Pullman Palace Car Company for six hundred built up wheels. The foundries are very busy and it is believed that the coming month will be one of the busiest in the history of the plant. Night turn has been placed in the hammer shop and in the steel foundry.

A Teacher-training Class, Home Department and Cradle Roll was organized in the Lutheran Sunday-school, last Sunday. It is the first school in the town to organize these departments, and are the direct results of Miss Robison's appeal at the Sunday-school convention held recently at Spring Mills. Centre county is in the rear ranks in Sunday-school work, and an effort is being made by the Centre County Sunday-school Association to bring it nearer the front, and by 1912 make it a Front Line county. Most of the Sunday-schools fill all the requirements to make Centre a Front Line county, except that not nearly a large enough per cent. of them have organized the three departments named above.

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jubilee songs. The troup is composed of seven members, namely, Mrs. Bertha Wilson, soprano; Mrs. Gertrude Frazier, contralto; Silas Frazier, first tenor; W. R. Carter, second tenor and pianist; J. R. Douglas, baritone; J. R. Manning, basso; Miss Nettie Jackson, entertainer.

ECHO FROM DRY TERRITORY.

Politically-Appointed Excise Commission Dreaded by Editor Fosnot.

In "Our Man About Town" column Editor J. H. Fosnot of the Lewistown Democrat and Sentinel has this to say of the proposed law excise commission:

This little dry spot in Pennsylvania seems to be a thorn in the flesh to the liquor men and politicians who are working in combination. The proposed law to take license-granting out of the hands of the courts and confer the power upon a politically-appointed excise commission, which was arranged to apply to counties of more than 100,000 population, has been changed in committee at Harrisburg to apply to districts of that size and this would include our own judicial district and start liquor-selling again in Mifflin and Bedford counties.

The liquor-favoring politicians seem to wholly ignore the tendencies of the age, which is to bring legislation and all governing nearer to the people. Local option does this. Next to it is the control of the license question by the courts, because the judges are chosen by the people. An excise commission would simply mean manipulation in the interest and to secure the support of the liquor power, to the demoralization of good government and good morals alike. I do not believe the people of Pennsylvania will stand for it, and if this proposition is carried out it will bring more damage to the Republican machine and defeat more Republican candidates this and next year than the most radical thing that has yet been attempted by the politicians. There is a limit to submission, even by loyal Republicans, and, if the politicians in control at Harrisburg thus invite overthrow of the machine and it comes, it is going to be a permanent overthrow to the everlasting good of the commonwealth. In that way it may be a benefit in disguise, but justice and righteousness by peaceable methods are always to be preferred.

Appeal to High Court for License.

Lawyers representing R. K. Nolan and Parks Murtiff, proprietors of the Coleman and St. Charles Hotels, of Lewistown, appealed to the supreme court, sitting at Pittsburg May 8, against the decision of the Mifflin county license court in its refusal to grant them a hotel license in connection with modern hotels that furnish accommodation to the public.

Sowing Spring Crops.

Not in many years have spring crops—oats, barley and potatoes—been put into the ground as late as this year. Winter began in October, and every one anticipated an early spring, but the wish was not realized. Little oats or barley was sown prior to Wednesday of last week, and much of it is yet to be sown.

Pine Grove Mills.

From last week.

Frank Homan, of Pine Hall, was a visitor in town Saturday evening.

Miss Gibboney, of McAlevys Fort, is attending Prof. White's summer school.

Mrs James Decker and Mrs. John Meyers shopped in Bellefonte on Saturday.

Rev. Campbell and daughter, of Baileyville, spent Monday afternoon in town.

Miss Mandelia Smith is visiting her sister, Mrs. W. K. Osman, at State College.

Miss Ella Livingston, of McAlevys Fort, spend the week-end with her sister, Mrs. R. Randolph.

Miss Mabel Meyers spent several days last week with her sister, Mrs. Bert Musser, at the Branch.

Edward Martz returned to his home on Monday after a visit of several weeks with relatives in Cleveland, Ohio.

The friends of Aaron Kepler will be pleased to know that he is able to be about once more, after a serious illness of pneumonia.

Miss Anna Krebs, who has been confined to her home for several days with an ulcerated sore throat, is rapidly improving.

Mrs. Schultz, who has been the guest of her mother at Selinsgrove for the past two weeks, has returned to her home in this place.

The district Sunday School convention held a very helpful session in the Presbyterian church Thursday afternoon of last week. Miss Martha Robison, of Bloomsburg, made a splendid address to those assembled. Rev. Barry, of Bellefonte, was also present and gave some excellent suggestions to Sunday School workers. A like session will be held here in May.

Sick headache results from a disordered condition of the stomach and can be cured by Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. Try it. For sale by all dealers.

DEATHS.

George W. Meese, a veteran of the Civil War and a well known resident of Bellefonte passed peacefully away at his home on Thomas street, after a lingering illness. Mr. Meese was born April 14th, 1839, making him at the time of death seventy-two years and nine days old. At the outbreak of the Civil War he enlisted in October, 1861, as a member of Company G, 51st Regiment, P. V. I, serving his country faithfully until honorably discharged in October, 1864. He was united in marriage to Miss Ellen Brown, September 12th, 1886, to which union were born thirteen children, of whom two sons and seven daughters are left to survive him, with his wife, one brother and two sisters.

David Love, born in Ireland, died at Bellefonte, aged seventy-eight years. He lived for a time at Pennsylvania Furnace, and for twenty-five years at Nigh Bank ore mines. He enlisted in Company E, 45th Regiment, P. V., serving over three years. He was united in marriage to Miss Annie Irene Emerick, of this county, whom he leaves to survive with four sons and two daughters: John, Clyde and Win Love, of Bellefonte; George, of Altoona; Mrs. Charles Harrison and Mrs. George Symmonds, both of Altoona.

Sarah Anna Graden, aged nine years, nine months, and twenty-two days, daughter of W. O. Graden, died at Spring Mills, Monday of last week, death being due to a complication of diseases. Besides her father she leaves to survive two brothers and one sister—Henry, Elwin and Mary—her mother and an infant brother having preceded her to the grave. Interment was made in the Presbyterian cemetery, Spring Mills, the following Thursday, Rev. J. Max Lantz, officiating.

Word has been received by Charles W. Wolfe, of Haines township, of the death of Amanda, widow of Thomas M. Wolfe, at her home in Bellevue, Ohio, after an illness of several years. The husband preceded her to the spirit world less than a month ago.

Transfers of Real Estate.

W. S. Musser et al to Anna Bible, March 16, 1911; in Centre Hall. $525.

Kate R. Stover to Henry Parsons et al, April 15, 1911; in Union twp. $2300.

John E. Murray et ux to John I. Thompson, April 14, 1911; in College twp. $25.

Mary A. Kreamer to Adda E Waite, March 30, 1911; in Miles twp. $7000.

J. M. Ewing et al to N. O. Dreibelbis et al, in Ferguson twp. $5000.

Laura B. Miller et bar to Jean Miller, Jan. 27, 1911; in Ferguson twp. $1.

S. F. Diehl et al to Wm. Weber, March 21, 1911; in Howard and Marion twps. $3000.

James B. Strohm et al to William H. Lingle, March 20, 1911; in Potter twp. $4025.

George Baldwin et ux to D. M. Neidigh, April 11, 1911; in State College. $2500.

Thomas J. Lee, trustee, to Claude C. Adams, March 25, 1911; in Philipsburg. $3600.

Sarah C. Bohn, trustee, to S. C. Wasson, April 5, 1911; in College twp. $3000.

Maria Messmer et al to John A. Snyder, March 9, 1911; in Gregg twp. $415.

Catherine A. Spotts et al to H. C. Robison, April 11, 1911; in Union twp. $2150.

Wm. P. Humes et al to Percival Rudy, April 2, 1910; in State College. $700.

William Glenn et ux to George Baldwin, Oct. 19, 1893; in State College. $2050.

Elizabeth Ilgen et al to Daniel Ilgen, Jan. 10, 1911; in Gregg twp. $3500.

J. B. Kreamer et ux to J. Winkleblack, Dec. 30, 1910; in Miles twp. $520.

George W. Kiester et ux to S. A. Boyer, March 30, 1911; in Haines twp. $3000.

Harvey Lamey et ux to J. W. O. Housman, April 30, 1909; in Millheim. $100.

A. Walter et al to Michael Lawrey, March 7, 1905; in Millheim. $125.

J. K. Reifsnyder et al to J. H. Hoffman, March 27, 1911; in Millheim. $1800.

Michael M. Bower et ux to D. F. Bowersox, April 1, 1911; in Haines twp. $2500.

A. H. Gilbert et ux to H. M. Esterline, Dec. 1, 1910; in Miles twp. $1400.

Cora C. Stover et bar to Thomas F. Wise, April 3, 1911; in Miles twp. $5000.

J. M. Howell, a popular druggist of Greensburg, Ky., says, "We use Chamberlain's Cough Remedy in our own household and know it is excellent." For sale by all dealers.

TOWN AND COUNTY NEWS.

HAPPENINGS OF LOCAL INTEREST FROM ALL PARTS.

Paul Keller, of Pleasant Gap, son of E. K. Keller, is a student in the Indiana Normal School, at Indiana,

Preparations are being made to rebuild the Mann axe factory, at Yeagertown. The plant was recently destroyed by fire.

The cigar store adjoining the Bush House lobby was sold by Harry Irvin to Louis Dagget, son of the Bush House proprietor.

Unclaimed letters in Centre Hall postoffice May 1st, 1911: Mrs. Wilmot Quimby, Mrs. D. Krape, Miss Mary Shimp, Rev. J. E Boal, Mr. M. M. Hunter.

For the good reason that there is no vacancy, H. C. Quigley, Esq., and Sheriff W. E. Hurley have withdrawn their political announcements for Republican county chairman.

W. K. Foster, of Mifflinburg, representing the firms of Wanamaker & Brown and Charles A. Stevensons & Bros., was in Centre Hall canvassing among the ladies and gents.

Messrs. Elmer Miller and Domer Ishler, of Tusseyville, who are attending the spring term of the Lock Haven Normal School, came home on Friday and spent Saturday and Sunday at their respective homes. They returned to Lock Haven on Monday.

For the past two weeks forest fires in Half Moon township have been threatening the destruction of very valuable timber on the tract owned by the Huyett-McNitt Lumber Company. From fifty to seventy-five men have been engaged in fighting the conflagration.

A call to Williamsburg has been extended Rev. J. M. Rearick, at Salona, and it is said the same will be accepted. Rev. Rearick was formerly pastor of the Penns Valley Lutheran charge, with residence in Centre Hall. It is just four years since he left this place to enter upon the work of the Salona charge.

The extensive limestone quarries of the Cambria Iron and Steel Company, located at Naginey Station, Mifflin county, have been permanently closed and 200 men are thrown out of employment. This quarry is considered one of the best in that section and shipped 2000 tons of stone daily.

The Mifflinburg Telegraph of last week contained this item: George W. Harter, student at Pennsylvania Railroad station, spent last Saturday and Sunday with home relatives and friends near Centre Hall. "Si." makes frequent trips home, and no doubt a greater portion of his time is spent with some fair damsel in that locality.

D. W. Zeigler, who for eighteen or nineteen years was employed in the saddler shop by D. A. Boozer, in Centre Hall, gave up his work, and returned to his home in Millheim. When he first came to Centre Hall, he meant to stay but a short time, but later he became a permanent fixture. He was counted a good mechanic, and an all around man in the saddlery business.

In speaking of improvements being made in Millheim, the Journal says this: The frame work of the new addition to the National hotel has been put in place and is being rapidly pushed to completion. The new addition in front will be three stories in height, the same as the main building, thus increasing the number of rooms for accommodating the traveling public. Landlord Shawver is bound to have everything about the hotel in first class order.

After an absence from Centre Hall for five months, Mrs. Mary Shoop returned to her home here last week. She had been in Scranton, to which place she was called owing to the illness of her sister, Miss Marion Cantner. Miss Cantner was engaged in keeping an appartment house, and during her illness the property was sold, necessitating her going to the hospital. She has now so far recovered that she is able to walk about, and her mind, which had been effected, is again restored. As soon as she is able to do so, she will come to spend a season with her sister in this place.

To appear against Charles McKee in the U. S. District Court, W. Gross Mingle went to Harrisburg on Tuesday. McKee was taken in tow by the Postoffice Department, charged with using the mails for fraudulent purposes. He had the good fortune, or perhaps misfortune, to do business with a number of creameries and produce dealers in Central Pennsylvania. He used all his customers alike, paying none of them. His methods were unique, he simply asked dealers to ship him butter, eggs, etc., like "you sent so and so." A check and a second order came promptly, but the check proved worthless.

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PLANT TREES.

If in 75 years the present supply of timber in this country will be exhausted, at the present rate of consumption, the admonition to plant trees becomes eloquent with meaning. There is great value in trees, says the Kansas City Times. The big lumber fortunes have been made in the main, not in buying and selling lumber, nor even in manufacturing lumber for sale, but in buying vast tracts of timber land and holding them for the inevitable advances in timber prices incident to the rapidly decreasing supply. Now, it would not profit any man or corporation to buy large areas of land that could be profitably used for agriculture, fruit growing or grazing, and set them in trees; but it would be profitable for all who own timber lands that could not be profitably used for other purposes to maintain them as permanent forests, using only the matured trees and cutting them and clearing the slash in such a way as to give the best possible protection to the immature timber. Also, it would be profitable to every owner of land to plant trees on any part of it that cannot be utilized for other purposes. If this great nation could inspire its landholders with this one purpose for a given time, to the end that all land that should be planted with trees would be so planted, the problem of the future lumber supply would be solved.

The treasure chamber beneath the palace of Necessidades, Lisbon, Portugal, has been opened and examined by the minister of public works at the request of King Manuel, who feared for the safety of the crown jewels and certain personal property of the royal family. The jewels and valuables were found in the underground chamber intact. An inventory showed them to be worth upward of $3,000,000. Among the jewels was the diadem of ex-Queen Amelie and a necklace given her by her father, the Compte de Paris, valued at $200,000. There was found also a table service of solid German silver, weighing over a ton, also a crown and scepter of gold studded with precious stones; also several bricks of gold, the largest weighing 45 pounds. The minister of finance announces that all valuables which are the private property of Manuel and his mother will be returned to them. Those belonging to the state, such as the crown and scepter will be placed in the national museum.

Some peculiar rights are being settled in New York. A man recovered nearly $1,000 damages from a policeman for clubbing him because the man in question kicked in his own door. As the man's wife had requested the policeman's interference, she having locked the kicked-in door, this decision for damages looks like a desperate stand on the part of mere man to avoid being kicked out of domestic supremacy.

A man in New Jersey was lately arrested for assaulting a neighbor. But it developed later that the assailant had been run over by his own automobile, driven by the neighbor. As it would have been clearly superhuman self-control which would have checked an attack under the circumstances, the assault was condoned by a law recognizing the limitations of human nature.

A Bloomington, Pa., man celebrated his eighty-third birthday by sawing wood continuously from 7 a. m. to 7 p. m. The moral is to saw wood early in life, and when you are 83 perhaps you won't have to do so.

Clubwomen in New Jersey are to establish schools for the training of maids. When they get the girls perfect in the arts of housekeeping and cooking they will doubtless discover that it is wives they have been training.

That London hotel where no tipping is permitted has proved such a success that another like it, the largest in London, is to be erected at once. And they say the service is perfectly all right, too.

We are told that the convocation of Canterbury proposes to abridge the ten commandments. Evidently the commandments have been broken so often that they need repairing.

"Are vegetarians as strong as meat eaters?" queries a contemporary. Well, the elephant, the ox, and the horse are vegetarians.

A serum cure for insanity is reported to be successful. What will the frenzied finance bankers do for a defense now?

In view of the recent activity of the hen we suggest that it be allowed to replace the eagle as our national bird.

HOUSE VOTES TO INCREASE SIZE

The Reaportoinment Bill Is Passed.

ENLARGED TO 433 MEMBERS.

Rearrangement of the Congressional Districts Left to the Legislatures of States--One Member for Each 211,877 Inhabitants.

Washington, D. C.—A bill providing for the enlargement of the national House of Representatives from 391 to 433 members and the apportionment of these members to the different States on the basis of the population shown by the recent federal census passed the House after vain efforts of members of both political parties to amend it in important particulars.

The proposed size of the House is identical with that provided for in the Crumpacker bill, passed by the House at the last session of Congress, but not acted upon by the Senate. The Houston bill, just passed, leaves to the Legislatures of the different States the power to rearrange the Congressional districts in their respective State, on the new population basis of one member for each 211,877 of inhabitants.

The two important amendments proposed, and defeated after lengthy debate, were to put the redistricting power in the hands of the Governors of States, when the Legislatures had failed to act, and to limit the House in the future to a membership of 430 or 433, leaving future reapportionments to the Secretary of the Department of Commerce and Labor.

The increase of the size of the House was agreed to by members of both parties, but many Republicans attacked it on the ground that it would make the House more unwieldy. Insurgent Republicans were particularly vigorous in opposing the increase, declaring that if it were not for the demands of those States that would otherwise lose members there would be a general sentiment in favor of keeping the membership at the present size of 391.

WORLD OWES U. S. $441,000,000

Only Once Did Balance of Trade Exceed This Amount.

Washington, D. C.—The world owes the United States $441,000,000 for food, clothing and raw materials sold abroad. Only once has the balance of trade been higher in favor of this country, according to Government figures. That was in 1908, when it was more than $55,000,000.

Close observers of finance and trade predict a record-breaking fiscal year if the favorable condition continues until June.

While opinion is divided over the significance of the fact that the balance for March was less than half the size of that of previous months, some point out that March a year ago produced a balance entirely in the other direction, with an excess of imports of more than $19,000,000.

CHILD WELFARE CONGRESS.

Men and Women of International Prominence Attend.

Washington, D. C.—The presence of many men and women internationally prominent in the child study movement at the Second International Congress on Child Welfare lent added dignity to the convention.

President Taft followed a Roosevelt precedent in making an enthusiastic address of welcome to the hundreds of mothers in attendance at the opening.

The congress was under the joint auspices of the National Congress of Mothers and the Parent-Teachers' Association. The relations and duties of home, school, church and state to the welfare of the child were the principal topics of discussion.

$65,750,000 For Railways.

Berlin.—The Government has laid before the Diet a bill appropriating 263,000,000 marks ($65,750,000) for the building of secondary railways, double tracking some of the existing roads, continuing the electrification of the lines between Magdeburg, Halle and Leipsic, beginning the electrification of the lines in the Silesian mountains and providing new rolling stock.

Soldiers Have the Measles.

Douglas, Ariz.—Measles of a dangerous type have broken out among the United States troops at Nogales.

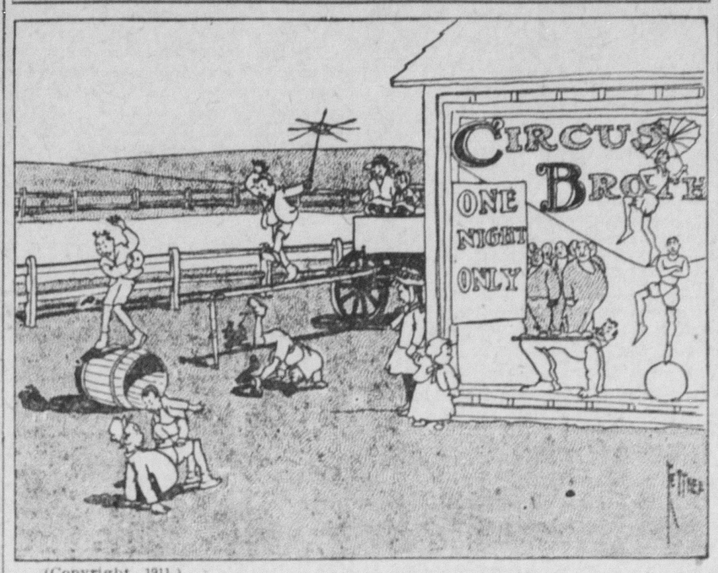
Two Men Perish in Fire.

Middletown, N. Y.—Two men are believed to have perished in a fire that burned the factory of the New York Piano Key Company. The financial loss is estimated at approximately $130,000.

Coffin Built for Her.

Hinckley, Ill.—A specially built coffin had to be prepared for Mrs. Henry Ansbach, the heaviest woman in Illinois. She tipped the scale at 605 pounds.

WHEN CIRCUS POSTERS BEGIN TO APPEAR



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DISPLEASING TO UNCLE SAM

Reported Statement by Vice President of Mexico--Demand It Be Repudiated.

Washington, D. C.—The reported declaration of Ramon Corral, vice-president of Mexico, that Americans were fomenting trouble in his country in order to force intervention, has encountered the disfavor of the United States government. The State Department has called the matter to the attention of Mexico in order to establish officially whether the interview with the Vice-President, in which the statements excepted to are said to have been made, was authentic, as published in Mexico City.

The question will be taken up by Ambassador Wilson at Mexico City, to whom the department telegraphed a copy of an official statement which it had issued unequivocally disproving the alleged utterance.

The statement expressed the confident belief that the Mexican Foreign Office will promptly "repudiate and prevent the promulgation of any such statements, calculated so seriously to disturb the mutual confidence and friendly good understanding between the two peoples."

Mexico City.—The New York correspondent of El Diario telegraphs his paper that Ramon Corral should not have been credited with saying that "the Mexican revolution was being formulated by Americans with the idea of forcing intervention."

The New York correspondent explains that the interview should have been credited to Inigo Noriega, a rich Spaniard, who has interests in Mexico and who arrived at Santander, Spain, on the same ship with the vice-president of the republic of Mexico.

San Blas Taken.

Nogales, Mexico. — A well-authenticated report has been received here that the rebels have captured the important railroad city of San Blas, on the Southern Pacific-Mexico line, in the State of Sinaloa. San Blas is about 50 miles below Fuerte, the former capital of Sinaloa, reported yesterday to have been taken by the rebels. The whole region appears to be overrun by insurrectos.

To Be Highest Skyscraper.

New York.—Plans were filed here by the Broadway-Park Place Company for the construction at Broadway and Park place of the highest building in the world. From the curb to the apex of the tower it will stand 750 feet. There will be 30 stories in the main building and an additional 25 in the tower, 55 in all. The highest building in the world is the Metropolitan tower, 700 feet 3 inches, and the next is the Singer tower, 612 feet.

Divorces "Affinity" Earl.

New York.—Justice Newberger, in the Supreme Court, signed the final judgment annulling the marriage of Julia Kuttner and Ferdinand Pinney Earle, the artist, whose matrimonial experiences added the word "affinity" to English slang. Miss Kuttner was Earle's second wife, the artist marrying her after his first wife had obtained a divorce in France.

Morales and Jiminez in Jail.

San Juan, P. R.—Gen. Carlos F. Morales, the former President, and Mauricio Jiminez, the former Vice-President of Santo Domingo, were arraigned here charged with planning a filibustering expedition against Santo Domingo and held for the grand jury. In default of $2,500 bail bonds they were sent to jail.

Think Men Better Students.

Madison, Wis.—That men are better students than women in the opinion of the faculty of the University of Wisconsin, was shown when 13 men and only seven women were named for membership in an honorary scholastic society.

Only Six Cents for a Kiss.

New York.—For being kissed against her will as she said, Mrs. Agnes Springer recovered six cents damages from Harry Nunwiller.

PRESIDENT TAFT TO PUBLISHERS

President Puts Leading Questions in a Clear Light.

HE FLAYS ANNEXATION TALK.

United States Has All It Can Attend to With the Territory It Is Now Governing.

New York—Reciprocity with Canada must be adopted now or never and must stand or fall by its own terms. Amid tremendous applause and the waving of handkerchiefs so declared President Taft in an address at the Waldorf-Astoria at the fourth annual joint banquet of the Associated Press and the American Publishers' Association. His address was the first of a series in which he plans to evoke public sentiment in support of his policies, and he appealed to the company of editors and newspaper owners, gathered from the length and the breadth of the land to impress in the public mind that reciprocity should stand alone and "ought not to be affected in any regard by other amendments to the tariff law." His recommendations were warmly cheered.

All talk of annexation he characterized as "bosh" and said that the United States has all it can attend to with the territory it is now governing. He praised the House of Representatives for its passage of the agreement; declared that it would not injure the farmer nor any special class, answered in detail the objections that have been raised to reciprocity and begged for at least "a kind of test" to dispel the ghosts "exhibited to frighten the agricultural classes."

"I have said that this was a critical time in the solution of the question of reciprocity," concluded the President. "It is critical because unless it is now decided favorably to reciprocity it is exceedingly probable that no such opportunity will ever again come to the United States. The forces which are at work in England and in Canada * * * will derive an impetus from the rejection of this treaty and if we would have reciprocity with all the advantages that I have described and that I earnestly and sincerely believe will follow its adoption, we must take it now or give it up forever."

Dutch Take Palmas Island.

Manila, P. I.—Delayed advices received here via Jolo report that the Dutch have taken possession of Palmas Island, 60 miles southeast of Mindinao, lowered the United States colors and substituted the flag of Holland.

James Creelman Appointed.

New York.—Mayor Gaynor has appointed James Creelman, the journalist, to the municipal Civil Service Commission to succeed John C. McGuire, the president of the board, who was named by the Mayor to one of the vacancies on the Brooklyn magistrate's bench.

"Frat" Men the Flunkers.

Ithaca, N. Y.—President Schurman, of Cornell, has warned fraternity men to improve in their studies, declaring that the 29 per cent. of the men students in the fraternities furnished 45 per cent. of the flunks.

Wants to See Battleships.

Boston.—The most compelling desire expressed by Stearns Kendall Abbott, released after 30 years in prison, was to see a modern battleship. He displayed no interest in aeroplanes.

Stops Panic With Revolver.

Tarrytown, N. Y. — Policeman Welsh stopped a panic in a moving picture show when a film caught fire by drawing his revolver and threatening to arrest anyone who moved toward the exits.

WOULD ABOLISH THE SENATE

Victor Berger, Socialist, Introduces Resolution in the House.

Washington, D. C.—Victor Berger, of Milwaukee, the Socialist member of Congress, in a resolution introduced in the House, not only proposes to abolish the Senate, but aims to strike from the hand of the President the veto power and take from the courts authority to invalidate legislation enacted by the House of Representatives. All this is proposed as an amendment to the Constitution, which, if petitioned for by 5 per cent. of the voters in each State, shall be submitted to a general referendum.

"The Senate has run its course," said Mr. Berger after his threatening document had been dropped into the hopper on the speaker's desk. "It must some day, as with the British House of Lords, yield to the popular demand for its reformation or abolition."

The resolution was not referred to the Judiciary Committee until after several hours' delay, caused by raising the question as to whether a clause in the preamble attacking the Senate might not be a violation of the House rules. This clause referred to the Senate as "a menace to the liberties of the people" and as a "body, many of the members of which are the representatives neither of a State nor of its people, but solely of certain predatory combinations." House rule 22 authorizes the Speaker to throw out bills and resolutions of an insulting character. It was determined, however, that the resolution was not a violation.

The rule prohibiting members of one legislative body against criticising or attacking the other body is applicable only in debate on the floor

BIBLE OF OUR FOREFATHERS

Mr. Taft's Tribute to King James Version--Celebration in New York.

New York.—Letters from King George of England and President Taft were read at Carnegie Hall at a notable gathering in celebration of the three hundredth anniversary of the publication of the King James version of the English Bible. The King congratulated the people of this country on "their share in this, our common heritage," and President Taft wrote that the "Bible's spirit has influenced American ideals in life and laws and government."

The Right Rev. David H. Greer bishop of the Episcopal diocese of New York, presided at the ceremony which was held under the auspices of the American Bible Society, James Bryce, the British ambassador, read the King's letter and delivered an address.

The King said:

"I rejoice that America and England should join in commemorating the publication, 300 years ago, of that version of the Holy Scriptures which has so long held its own among English-speaking peoples.

"Its circulation in our homes has done more, perhaps, than anything else on earth to promote among old and young the moral and religious welfare on either side of the Atlantic.

"The version which bears King James' name is so clearly interwoven in the history of British and American life that it is right we should thank God for it together.

"I congratulate the President and people of the United States upon their share in this our common heritage."

The White House,
March 7, 1911.

To the Tercentenary Celebration of the King James Version of the English Bible:

I desire to express my deep interest in the recognition which is being taken in this country of so notable an event as the Three Hundredth Anniversary of the King James Version of the English Bible.

The publication of the version of the Holy Scriptures in the year 1611 associates it with the early colonies of the English people upon this Continent. It became, at once the Bible of our American forefathers. Its classic English has given shape to American literature. Its spirit has influenced American ideas in life and laws and government.

I trust that this celebration may continue and deepen the influence of the Bible upon the people of this republic.

WILLIAM H. TAFT.

Elbert A. Brinckerhoff, vice-president of the American Bible Society, opened the meeting and introduced Bishop Greer, who said in part:

"The publication of the Bible, the three hundredth anniversary of which we are assembled here to celebrate, was not only a great literary event; it was also a great moral and religious event.

Dr. Hyde Out on $50,000 Bond.

Kansas City, Mo.—Dr. B. C. Hyde, under a life sentence of imprisonment for the murder of Col. Thomas H. Swope, was released from the county jail on a writ of habeas corpus granted by the seven judges of the Circuit Court here.

Pass Direct Vote Measure.

Albany, N. Y.—By a vote of 105 to 30 the Assembly adopted the resolution of Senator Roosevelt, advocating the election of United States Senators by direct vote of the people.

SCHOOL TEACHERS KILLED IN WRECK

Excursion to Washington Ends Tragically.

FIRE CONSUMES ENTIRE TRAIN

Teachers' Special From Utica, N. Y., Bound for National Capital, is Ditched Near Easton, Pa.

Tragedy of the Rail.

A special carrying 169 school teachers from New York cities on sight-seeing excursion to Washington jumps the track and is set on fire.

The train was set on fire at one end by the engine and on the other by an oil tank car, which it sideswiped.

Many of the passengers, though injured, pluckily assisted in rescuing their less fortunate passengers from the burning cars

Easton, Pa.—Eight persons lost their lives, several are missing and believed to be dead and half a hundred others were injured at Martin's Creek, N. J., in a wreck of an excursion train carrying 170 school teachers and friends from Utica and Syracuse, N. Y., and vicinity to Washington for a week's outing.

The train was one furnished the teachers by the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Railroad, and the accident occurred while it was traveling at a high rate of speed over a stretch of track controlled by the Pennsylvania Railroad. The locomotive jumped the track, the cars toppled over and were set on fire by exploding oil, the wrecked coaches having sideswiped an oil tank along the track when they left the rails.

The entire train was quickly enveloped in flames and completely consumed by the fire. The eight missing persons, seven of whom were women and lived in Utica, are believed to have been burned to death in the wreckage. The finding of charred bones led the railroad wrecking crews to the conclusion that they are dead.

The most seriously injured were removed to the Easton Hospital, where two of them, Miss Eleanor E. Rutherford, a Utica teacher, and Charles M. Parsons, of Stroudsburg, Pa., a Pennsylvania Railroad conductor, died at night.

The cause of the wreck has not yet been determined. The place where the accident occurred had been undergoing repairs and unfinished work may have been responsible for the train leaving the track.

MADERO'S VIEW OF IT.

Says Diaz and Corral Started Intervent on Scare.

El Paso, Tex.—General Madero, speaking of the alleged interview with Vice-President Corral concerning the United States, had this to say:

"I am not sure that Corral made the statement credited to him, but I do know that when the revolution was in the formative stage it was part of the Diaz-Corral strategy to give the impression that the United States would intervene in behalf of the Mexican government. This was to make us appear unpatriotic.

"However, the revolution got under way and is winning, yet there has been no intervention. The government, therefore, is now trying to make it appear that the revolt does not owe its spread to the unpopularity of the administration, but to foreign elements which they allege have come to the aid of the uprising."

TURIN EXHIBITION OPENS.

U. S. Well Represented in Industrial Show.

Turin, Italy.—The International Exhibition of Industries and Labor, the biggest affair of the kind ever attempted in Italy, was opened Saturday.

The Turin exhibition occupies 12,000,000 square feet, extending on either side of the river Po, the two parts being joined by four bridges, two built especially for this occasion. The American pavillion comprises the largest exhibit ever made abroad by that government. In all there were 15,000 exhibitors, representing the European countries, North and South America, Japan, Persia, Siam, Turkey, Tunis and the British colonies.

Merriam Spent $133,254.80.

Chicago. — Charles E. Merriam, Chicago University professor, spent $133,254.80 in his recent efforts to become Mayor of Chicago, according to a final statement of campaign receipts and expenditures, made public. The total receipts were $136,191.65.

Cuba Shaken By Quake.

Santiago, Cuba.—An earthquake was felt here. No damage was done, but there was great alarm for a time.

Serena's Happy Day

By VIRGINIA BLAIR

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"They are moving across the way," said Serena.

From the couch her mother said faintly: "They will miss their pretty cottage."

"They are going to Europe," Serena told her. "When they get away I shall go and look at their bungalow. I've never seen inside."

"Such people seem to have everything," she went on. "Now if you and I had such a pretty place to live we would be perfectly contented."

Her mother smiled at her. "I think we are contented as it is," she said. "In spite of our poverty we are happy that we have each other."

"Yes," Serena said bravely.

She did not dare tell her mother how she was oppressed by a sense of responsibility—their little bank account was so low, the few music lessons that she could get paid so poorly, and her mother's long illness had been expensive.

"I am going to give you your broth," she remarked a little later, "and go and look at that house. The people across the way left in their motor car about five minutes ago."

When she came back she had a letter in her hand. "I wish you could see inside of that lovely place," she said. "Everything is so artistic. The living room is in brown with touches of blue, and there are brass bowls and a few good pictures and deep wicker chairs, and it is as cozy and comfortable as anything."

She tore open her letter as she spoke, and read a few lines and gave a gasp. "Why, mother," she said, "it is from a lawyer. My Great-Uncle Joseph is dead and has left me $10,000."

"What!" Mrs. Carter exclaimed. "Why, Serena, it can't be true. It has been years since we heard from Uncle Joseph."

"He has divided his fortune among his great-nieces and nephews," Serena read. "Isn't it lovely, mother?"

After a few moments they calmed down, and Serena said, soberly: "This will be a chance for my year in Eu-

Richard Had Very Little to Say.

rope. We will go as soon as you are well enough, and I can study music and come back and be ready to teach."

"Who's going to Europe?" asked a voice from the door.

A tall, young man stood in the doorway. "Who's going to Europe?" he replied.

"Oh, Richard, Richard," Serena flew toward him. "This is such a happy day. I have just received a legacy of $10,000 and mother and I are going abroad."

There was no joy in Richard's countenance. "I congratulate you," he said stiffly.

"Why, Richard," Serena reproached him, "aren't you glad?"

"Oh, of course," he said hurriedly.

He didn't stay long after that, and, as he took up his hat he said to Serena: "Come and take a walk."

Serena kissed her mother, and danced down the path beside him like a child.

As they walked along Richard had very little to say.

"You're a grumpy and growly bear, Dixy," said Serena, as they left the public highway and entered into a little lane where the wild roses and blackberry vines straggled over the fences. "You act as if I had received bad news instead of good news."

Richard sat down on a great gray rock at a turn of the lane.

"Let us talk about it," he said. "Maybe you'll understand then why I'm not jubilant."

Her eyes questioned him.

"You see," he said slowly, "it will take you away from me, Serena."

"Oh," she gasped, "but I am coming back."

"It will be different," Richard said. "You will come back a traveled young lady, and you will have seen other men, and I will have slipped out of your life. I haven't told you how much I love you, because I have been waiting until I had a home to offer you. I haven't asked you to marry me, because I felt that I must prove myself a man, but you're going away will hit me hard, Serena."

"Don't you think I owe it to myself?" she asked. Her eyes were troubled. "Don't you think I ought to go when all my life I've wished for a chance to study more and make my music something more than an accomplishment?"

"I don't want to be mean and selfish," he said. "I think it is the right thing for you to do, and I'm not going to try to hold you back, but you mustn't expect me to smile over it, Serena."

The Serena who came slowly into her mother's room was a very different girl from the radiant one who had left.

"Why, what's the matter, dear?" her mother demanded.

Serena threw herself on the floor beside the couch. "I don't want uncle's old money," she wailed. "I wish he hadn't left it to me."

"Hush," her mother warned. "What makes you act this way?"

"It will take me away from Richard and he wants me to marry him, mother, only he isn't asking me now because he thinks it is best for me to go."

"Do you love him," Mrs. Carter asked, "enough to stay here, dear?"

"Oh, I don't know," Serena answered. "But I wish he hadn't said anything about it. He has spoiled my happy day."

The next morning Serena sallied forth and took a car to the city. There she accumulated folders and information with regard to sailing of ships, the prices at hotels and all the details that interest travelers. She visited dressmakers and tailors, with a view to acquiring some modish clothes suitable for her outing, but with it all she had no enthusiasm, no sense of joy. In the afternoon it rained, and she plodded along wearily, wishing that the routine of her life had not been broken into. As she splashed into a puddle, a voice at her side said: "Don't you want me to hold your umbrella?"

In a moment her gray day had changed to radiance. She didn't care how hard it poured. Richard was there smiling down at her. He took her into a cozy little shop where they had tea together and a good long talk. "When you come back," was the burden of Richard's remarks. "When you come back I will have things ready for you, Serena."

Somewhat cheered, Serena came home to find her mother sitting up and looking over a package of old letters.

"They are some of your father's," the little mother said. "He loved me dearly, Serena, and I have been wondering if Richard loves you as your father loved me."

A soft light came into Serena's eyes. "I think he does," she said. "He is as true as steel, mother, and a year is a long time to keep him waiting."

She caught her breath quickly, and then dropped her head on her arms and sobbed. "I don't know what to do."

Her mother's eyes twinkled. "I have thought of a way out of it," she said. She laid the letters aside, and pointed through the window. "Look," she said, "and behold the fairy palace of your dreams."

Serena stared bewildered, then she gasped: "Oh, mother, you mean the bungalow? Could I buy it?"

"Why not? Live there with Richard, and I'll stay cozily here, so near you can care for me and see me every day, and if there is any money left we will buy pretty things with lace and embroidery and pink ribbons for you to wear, my Serena."

"Oh, you little, lovely mother," Serena threw her arms about her mother and kissed her. "It will be better than a trip to Europe or anything else in the whole wide world."

The little mother clapped her hands. "Of course it will," she said, "and now telephone Richard and ask him to supper, and when he comes you can take him over and show him your fairy palace, Serena."

Valuable Scientific Discovery.

A discovery suggesting the possibility of the partial transmutation of precious stones by means of radium has just been made accidentally at the Cornish radium works. One of the chief officials who daily handles the tubes containing the rare element noticed that a diamond in his ring seemed to change color and increase in brilliancy. Since then several experiments have been made. A variety of precious stones have been enclosed in a box with two tubes, each containing 50 milligrams of radium. Every stone changed color after exposure of different duration. Some magnificent tints have been obtained, including a delicate pink in one diamond.

For Cheaper Food.

The Rhode Island conservation commission reports that there are 400 unutilized farms and large areas which have never been cultivated at all, although they are very close to the market. Yet Rhode Island is celebrated as the most "thickly settled" state in the union. The possibilities of this country in the production of food have not begun to be exhausted; the limitations are nowhere in sight, observes the Springfield Republican. All that we need to make cheaper food is more people willing to till the land

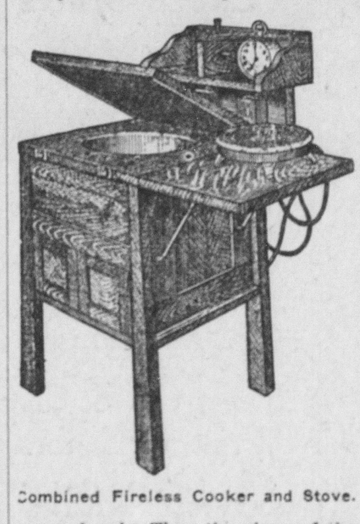
MAKES FOR ECONOMY

LATEST IMPROVEMENT ON THE FIRELESS STOVE.

Electric Device Insures Both Convenience and Cleanliness—Use of Alarm Clock Is Also a Most Useful Innovation.

Those familiar with the economies of the fireless cooker will appreciate the combination of this device with the convenience and cleanliness of the electric stove.

The outside of the stove is made of finished hardwood. The containing compartment is lined with nonrustable metal between which and the woodwork is a fireproof non-heat-conducting packing, through which wires pass to the electric stove located in the bottom of the receptacle. If the length of time required to bring a certain meat or vegetable to a boil is known, the dish containing it is placed in the receptacle, and the



Combined Fireless Cooker and Stove.

cover closed. Then the alarm of the clock is set to go off in 20 minutes, a half-hour, or in such time as the case may require. Closing the switch starts the cooking. When the time is up the clock sounds the alarm and at the same time opens the switch, and the cooking then continues as in a fireless cooker. This stove enables "the lady of the house" to start the evening meal, go shopping while it is cooking and return to find it ready to serve piping hot. A drop shelf is provided on the side, while a compartment beneath the cooker permits the storage of cooking utensils.—Popular Mechanics.

Little German Cakes.

Beat one dozen fresh eggs and three pounds of pulverized sugar for 55 minutes, then add as much soda as will lay on the end of a knife and beat five minutes longer. Be sure and don't stop beating. Add flour enough to knead. Set it aside in a cool place, just so it doesn't freeze, until evening. Then roll a little thicker than pie crust. The Germans have little fancy molds for these, but any small cookie cutter or baking powder can lid can be used to cut them with. After they are all cut spread out on a table and cover with a thick cloth and let lay over night. In the morning sprinkle baking pans with caraway seeds and place cakes in pans on seeds and bake in slow oven for three-quarters of an hour. These are favorite little cakes among the Germans and are excellent.

Strawberry Pie.

Make nice rich pie crust, put the bottom of the pan turned upside down on table; put three or four fork holes in the crust to keep from raising up from the pan. Bake by itself. When baked light brown take the crust, turn on a plate, then the crust is ready to fill. Have ready one quart fresh picked strawberries, sweetened to taste, fill the crust with the strawberries, cover the top of the berries with the whites of two well-beaten eggs, sweeten with sugar. Put in the oven just long enough to light brown the whites of the eggs.

Rice Royale.

Pick over and wash a cupful of rice. Drop into a large kettle of boiling water, add a half teaspoonful of salt and tablespoonful of sugar and keep at a galloping boil until the grains feel tender when rubbed between the fingers. Drain thoroughly, pack lightly in a slightly buttered mold and let stand ten minutes in the open oven. Turn out carefully on a deep platter. Baste over this the syrup from canned fruit (heated), arrange the fruit itself around the base and serve either hot or cold.

Baked Batter Currant Pudding.

This pudding, if correctly made, is both tasty and digestible. Take a quarter of a pound of flour, four ounces of cleaned currants, three eggs, and one cupful of milk, and make into a light batter, then add a teaspoonful of baking powder and a pinch of salt. Pour into a well-buttered pudding dish, sprinkle in the currants, and bake in a moderate oven for about one hour. When baked, turn out the pudding and cut up. Serve with sugar or with golden syrup.

Meat Cakes.

Take cold meat, mince fine with fat bacon, season with pepper and salt, mix well, fry and serve with gravy. Fine with hot biscuits for breakfast.

FRENCH METHODS OF COOKING

These Two Ideas in Serving Potatoes May Be of Interest to American Housewives.

Pommes Hollandaise.—For a family of four boil six good-sized white potatoes; peel and cut them into quarters; put them in a porcelain-lined pan with a tablespoonful of butter and a pinch of finely chopped parsley; season with salt and white pepper and warm them thoroughly without browning. Serve on a hot dish.

Potato Quennelles or Croquettes.—Peel, wash and drain six medium-sized mealy potatoes; cut them in quarters, put them in a saucepan, cover them with water, add a little salt, cook for 30 minutes and drain. Then beat the potatoes up in a bowl or mortar with an ounce of fresh butter, and when they are well mashed add the yolks of three eggs. Season with salt, pepper and a tiny bit of grated nutmeg; mix all well and then divide into 12 or more parts, shaping each round or like a cork. Dip the croquettes separately into raw beaten egg; roll in finely powdered bread crumbs, and fry a golden color in boiling olive oil for three or more minutes. Serve on a folded napkin with mashed sprigs of parsley alongside.

USEFUL HINTS FOR THE COOK

Small Things, but They Mean Much in the Preparation of Really Successful Meal.

When cooking eggs always break them separately in a cup, for one bad egg will spoil all that have been broken before. For poaching or frying, it is better to break them singly in a saucer, from which they can be easily slipped into the pan without breaking the yolk.

A tablespoon of vinegar, and a little salt should be added to each pint of boiling water used for poaching eggs.

There is much nourishment, also medicinal properties, in fish, and as a rule it is cheaper than meat. If fresh fish cannot be obtained, salt fish, if properly cooked, is quite as nutritious.

Too much cannot be said about the nutritive qualities of cornmeal, which ought to be used more than it is in every household.

Dried peas and beans also rank high among the cheapest and most nutritious foods. Beans that are old require longer soaking than last year's crop. Never fail to add a little salt in the water in which they are put to soak.

Sago and Currant Pudding.

A quarter of a pound of sago, a quarter of a pound of cleaned currants, six good cooking apples, one heaping tablespoonful of butter, two tablespoonfuls of sugar, half of a lemon. Put the sago into a saucepan with four cupfuls of cold water, and boil until the sago becomes transparent, stirring all the time; next add the thin rind of the half lemon, the currants, and the sugar. Butter a pudding dish, put in the apples (previously peeled, cored and sliced), and pour over these the sago preparation. Put the butter in small pieces on the top, and bake until the apples are tender. Serve with a good custard sauce.

Walnut Catsup.

There are various recipes for making this relish. The following will be found a good one: Select fine firm nuts; they are best when fresh and soft. Pound them well, reducing them to a pulp, then put to soak in vinegar enough to well cover. Add to this after two hours two tablespoonfuls of salt, one teaspoonful of horseradish, one teacupful of mustard seed and garlic, two ounces of allspice, two ounces of cloves, two ounces of nutmeg, one ounce of black pepper and two ounces of celery seed. Boil all for an hour. Then strain through a hair sieve and bottle, sealing the covers.

If a pan is burned or blackened, rub the inside of it with a hard crust of bread dipped in salt and afterward wash it with hot soda and water.

Add a little soda to the water in which you wash your plates and dishes. The soda loosens the grease on them and gives the china a good, shiny surface.

Be very careful to keep the lids of saucepans clean, for the flavor of one dish may cling to a lid which has not been washed and spoil a second dish which is prepared in the same pan.

Wash a saucepan in plenty of hot water; but never wash cake tins or frying pans. Wipe them well with a piece of paper, which is afterward burned, and polish them with a dry cloth.

Here are a few rules it would be well to cut out and paste in your kitchen. They are hints about washing, and will give much success in the affairs of that very important region of the home.

Pudding cloths, jelly bags and so on should be well washed, scalded and hung up to dry. It is not necessary to iron them, but they should be smoothed and folded before they are replaced in the drawer.

Stand saucepans, fish kettles, etc. in front of the fire for a few minutes after washing them, so that they may be thoroughly dried inside. This makes them last longer and helps to keep them in good condition.

WITH THE STATE LAWMAKERS

Rushing Work on Appropriations.

The Appropriations Committees of the Senate and House are rushing the hearings on bills in order to be able to make at least a partial report to the Legislature this week. Already the House has prepared to make report on 400 of the 500 bills sent to it, while the committee from the upper branch will have a list of 100 of the bills sent to it ready for Senate consideration at the same time. This influx of appropriations into the Legislature at one time will congest the calendar and necessitate considerably faster action on the bills that precede the new measures. The action of committees to rush the bills in at this time is at the suggestion of Governor Tener, who has expressed a desire to pass upon some of the most important ones of the list while the Legislature is in session. The Governor intends to pursue the policy he laid down at the beginning of the session to permit the supporters of the bills to come to some satisfactory agreement as to the amounts necessary for the institutions affected and to also enable the Representative offering the measure to make any corrections that may be necessary. In this way no worthy measures will fall on a technicality. The Tener plan is entirely a new idea of the administration and although it will crowd the calendars, the members of both branches are satisfied, since they feel it will mean a fair deal for everyone. The appropriations asked for this session approximate $130,000,000, and since the revenues amount to only $60,000,000 there will necessarily have to be a substantial cutting. It was intimated by members of the House Committee that few, if any, of the institutions applying for the first time, especially educational institutions, would receive any appropriation.

Commissioner Foust Reappointed.

Governor Tener announced the reappointment of James Foust, of Altoona, Blair County, as dairy and food commissioner. The appointment is for the term of four years. Foust was formerly chief of police of Altoona and was named chief of the dairy and food division by Governor Stuart in 1907. He has been vigorous officially and the author of numerous laws relating to pure food. Secretary of Internal Affairs Henry Houck announced the reappointment of James H. Craig, of Altoona, as deputy secretary for the term of four years.

Execution Bill.

It will be a case of out of the frying pan into the fire for the wardens of the Eastern and Western Penitentiaries if the Clark hanging bill, which was reported out of committee, reaches final passage. The bill provides that all hangings shall take place in either the Eastern or Western penal institutions. The objection which was successfully raised by the wardens of these institutions against the Morris electrocution bill was that the prisoners would be disturbed and thereby the general discipline of the prisons would be upset. Robert A. Balfour, a member of the Board of Inspectors of the Eastern Penitentiary, was much disturbed when he learned of the report on the Clark bill. "I am in favor of electrocution," he said, "if we are compelled to have a death penalty, but I think it should be carried out in some isolated place. If the Clark bill becomes a law it will have a bad effect upon the prisoners who are incarcerated for other crimes than murder."

Baby Coach for Legislature.

The House of Representatives dropped serious business for a time to enable members to present a baby coach to Representative George A. Baldwin, of Beaver County, to whom a son was born this week. It was the first birth in the family of a member during the present session and on his return to the city Mr. Baldwin was called to the bar of the House for being absent without leave and the presentation made by Representative W. W. Uelrich, of Westmoreland.

BILLS PASSED IN SENATE AND HOUSE.

Senate.

These bills were passed:

Validating under certain conditions contracts made by foreign corporations which shall have done business in this State without first having complied with the laws relating to foreign corporations.

Further regulating the fees to be charged by constables.

Regulating foreign corporations having any of the powers or privileges of corporations not possessed by individuals or partnership.

Authorizing insurance and surety companies to make a deposit of certain securities with the Insurance Commissioner to enable them to do business in other States or with the United States Government.

Authorizing County Commissioners to erect a bridge for pedestrians only in lieu of a wagon bridge legally authorized when in their judgment such bridge will accommodate public travel.

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CHURCH APPOINTMENTS.

Presbyterian—Centre Hall, morning.

Methodist—Sprucetown, morning; Centre Hall, afternoon; Spring Mills, evening.

United Evangelical—Egg Hill, morning; Tusseyville, afternoon; Centre Hall, evening.

Reformed—Communion services at all points on the charge. Pulpits will be filled by ministers attending classis.

Lutheran—Centre Hall, morning; Union, no service, on account of Reformed communion; Georges Valley, evening.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.

DEMOCRATIC.

FOR SHERIFF.

We are authorized to announce that Arthur B. Lee of Potter township, is a candidate for the office of Sheriff, subject to the rules and regulations of the Democratic primaries to be held September 30. paid

We are authorized to announce that D. J. Gingery, of Huston township, is a candidate for the office of Sheriff subject to the decision of the Democratic primaries to be held on September 30.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER.

We are authorized to announce that John R. Lemon, of Ferguson township, is a candidate for the office of Commissioner, subject to the usages of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce that John H. Runkle, of Potter township, is a candidate for the office of County Commissioner subject to the rules and regulations of the Democratic party. paid

We are requested to announce that John L. Dunlap will be a candidate for County Commissioner, subject to the decision of the Democratic voters of the county as expressed at the primaries to be held September 30, 1911. paid

We are authorized to announce that William A. Stover, of Penn township, is a candidate for the office of County Commissioner, subject to the decision of the primaries of the Democratic party on September 30. paid

We are authorized to announce that William H. Noll, of Pleasant Gap, in Spring township, is a candidate for the office of County Commissioner, subject to the decisions of the Democratic primaries to be held September 30. paid

FOR COUNTY TREASURER.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for Treasurer of Centre county, subject to the decision of the Democratic primaries to be held September 30. J. MITCHEL CUNNINGHAM. paid Bellefonte, Pa.

We are authorized to announce that John D. Miller, of Walker township, is a candidate for County Treasurer, subject to the usages of the Democratic party. paid

We are authorized to announce that Frank W. Grebe, of Philipsburg Borough, is a candidate for the office of County Treasurer, subject to the decision of the Democratic primaries to be held September 30. paid

FOR REGISTER.

We are authorized to announce that I. Frank Smith, of Centre Hall borough, is a candidate for Register, subject to the usages of the Democratic party. paid

FOR RECORDER.

We are authorized to announce that D. A Deitrich, of Walker township, will be a candidate for the office of Recorder of Centre county, subject to the decision of the Democratic voters of the county as expressed at the general primaries to be held Saturday, September 30. paid

FOR DISTRICT ATTORNEY.

We are authorized to announce that J. M. Keichline is a candidate for the office of District Attorney, subject to the usages of the Democratic party. paid

We are authorized to announce that D. Paul Fortney, of Bellefonte, is a candidate for the office of District Attorney, subject to the usages of the Democratic party. paid

We are authorized to announce that J. Kennedy Johnston, of Bellefonte, is a candidate for the office of District Attorney, subject to the action of the Democratic voters at the primary election to be held September 30. paid

FOR PROTHONOTARY.

We are authorized to announce that D. R. Foreman, of the Borough of Bellefonte, is a candidate for the office of Prothonotary, subject, to the usages of the Democratic party. Paid.

REPUBLICAN.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER.

TO EDITOR REPORTER—I hereby announce myself as a candidate for County Commissioner, subject to the decision of the Republican voters at the primaries to be held Sept. 30, 1911. JACOB WOODRING, Port Matilda, Pa.

TO EDITOR REPORTER—I hereby announce myself as a candidate for County Commissioner, subject to the decision of the Republican voters at the primaries to be held Sept. 30, 1911. HARRY E. ZIMMERMAN, Spring township. Formerly of Benner township.

FOR REGISTER.

TO EDITOR REPORTER—I hereby announce myself as a candidate for Register of Centre county, subject to the decision of the Republican voters at the primaries to be held Sept. 30, 1911. EDWARD J. WILLIAMS, Unionville, Pa.

Spring Mills

Mrs. E. S. Lohr spent a week at Potters Mills.

J. D. Long has improved his residence with a coat of paint.

John Meyer and family spent Sunday at Axe Man with Joseph Meyer, a brother.

On Monday R. G. Kennelly left for Snow Shoe where he is employed at the carpenter trade.

Mrs. Warren Wood and Mrs. H. S. Braucht were shoppers in Bellefonte on Wednesday.

Harold Ream, of Brush Valley, spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Ream.

Mrs. John Grenoble, of Yeagertown, stopped with the family of I. J. Zanler, on Sunday and Monday. She was on her way to Aaronsburg to assist in caring for her aged father.

The storm on Monday afternoon did considerable damage in this neighborhood. Trees were up rooted, window lights broken by the scores, buildings unroofed, fences leveled. One-fourth of the roof on the barn on the H. B. Herring farm was blown off, a chimney on the William Fredericks dwelling house was toppled over, six large window lights in the Long store building were broken.

A teacher-training class numbering twenty composed of pupils from the five local Sunday-schools and the Penn Hall and Georges Valley schools, met in the Reformed church and organized. The next meeting will be at the same place next Thursday evening, and thereafter alternately in the several churches represented in the class. All persons interested in Sunday-school work are invited to join.

ELECT COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT.

Prof. D. O. Etters Elected for Third Term without Opposition—Salary Increased to $2000.

For the third time Prof. D. O. Etters was elected superintendent of the public schools of Centre county, the latter two times without opposition. The election was a matter of form, but the increase of the salary from $1692 the present salary, being the minimum under the school laws, to $2000 required three votes for its accomplishment.

At 10:40 a. m., on Tuesday, the directors were called to order in the court house by superintendent Etters, who in the briefest form stated the object of the assembling of the body, on the first Tuesday in May every third year. Capt. C. T. Fryberger, of Philipsburg, was named chairman, Charles F. Cook, of Bellefonte, secretary, and P. J. McDonald, Unionville, and J. C. Stover, Millheim, tellers. The chair thanked the directors for the unsolicited position, and stated he would endeavor to be fair with all and serve to the best of his ability.

Prof. M. S McDowell, of State College, placed in nomination Prof. Etters for re-election. He dwelt briefly on his ability and general fitness for the position, and of his past record in the office. The roll call revealed that all of the 123 directors present, except one, favored his re-election. This stray director performed as though he had just previously and repeatedly been admitted to the "bar," and it is safe to say that his actions in convention were not the result of solicitation on the part of Mr. Meyer, superintendent of the Philipsburg schools, for whom he voted.

The question of salary was then brought before the convention. Col. D. F. Fortney moved that the salary be $2400. The proposition received fifteen or twenty votes. Ex-Senator Heinle then proposed, as a compromise, $2150 as the salary, claiming that $2150 was the average salary paid superintendents in the state. This sum is $150 over the salary proposed in the school code before the legislature, but the ex-senator thought it would be a good thing to be a little in advance of the times in the matter of salary.

The vote to make the salary $2150 proved to be a tie—sixty-one for and as many against the proposition. The chairman cast his vote in the negative, and the motion was lost.

The third and successful move to increase the salary was then made, the sum being $2000. This measure carried by a very fair majority, the number voting for and against not being counted.

Chairman Fryberger then called for the superintendent-elect and asked that he address the directors. Superintendent Etters expressed himself as highly pleased over being elected for the third time and without opposition. He called the attention of the directors to the necessity of forwarding reports on time, and gave two instances where secretaries almost lost the appropriation on minimum salaries on account of neglect. On the question of when school boards should re-organize he was unable to give any light.

Prof. McDowell spoke for a few minutes on the boys' corn contest which is being conducted by Pennsylvania State College.

After the chairman thanked the secretary for his good work, and the tellers for their good intentions, the assembly adjourned at 11 38.

Won Two Prizes.

Penns Valley may well feel proud of Miss Mary Foreman, a student at West Chester Normal School, she having captured both the class and literary prizes. Miss Foreman is the daughter of F. A. Foreman, of near Spring Mills, and is one of the young ladies who taught school in Gregg and Potter townships. She will graduate in June, this being the only full school year she attended the normal, her previous work having been done at the spring terms after the close of the public schools in the townships named.

Marriage Licenses.

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George Richard, Martha
Alice Devine, Martha

James McCradie, Cassanova
Mary G. Richard, Erdon

George Kreamer, Clearfield
Anna M. Donley, Julian

Frederick W. Bechdel, Liberty twp.
Mable Confer, Howard

The Tell-Tale.

"The Tell-Tale Bunch of Keys" is the title under which The North American will print on Sunday, May 7, the story of the murder of Martha Sylvis in Tioga county in 1883.

The North American prints each Sunday one of these stories about some Pennsylvania crime which has left its mark upon the legal history of the state.

County Bridges to be Painted.

A short time ago, the county commissioners advertised for bids to paint several bridges in Centre county. The contracts were let, as follows: Fleisher bridge, in Potter township, S. C. Brungart, Tusseyville, $16 00; Lose bridge, Haines township, A. S. Stover, Aaronsburg, $33 00; Roopsburg bridge, Penn. Decorative Company, Bellefonte, $28 00

Aaronsburg.

Rev. W. D. Donat is attending Classis which is in session at Centre Hall.

Mrs. Clara Grenoble, of Yeagertown, is the guest of her father at the home of George Weaver.

Florence Orwig returned home after a week's visit with her cousin, Bright Bitner, at Spring Mills.

Those from a distance who attended the funeral of Henrietta Kline were Dr. Paul Pontius, Philadelphia; Mrs. Gibb and son and Miss Ida Hoy, Irvona; Mrs. William Jamison, Lock Haven; Mrs. Smith, Williamsport; Mrs. Heckman, Loganton.

Rev. S. A. Snyder attended the funeral of an aunt at Loganville, York county, last week.

Colyer.

Charles and Carrie Cumings, of Manor Hill, spent Sunday with their friend Cyrus Moyer.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ramer and son Joseph, of Milroy, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Bodtorf.

The many friends of Mrs. Louisa Klinefelter are glad she is able to be up again.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Rickert and children spent Sunday at the home of B. F. Rickert.

Mrs. William Wolf and daughter Grace, of Avis, are spending a few days with friends and relatives at this place.

Elmer Miller and Domer Ishler, students of the Lock Haven Normal, spent Sunday with their parents at this place.

The auction sale at the store of G. R. Meese last Saturday was fairly attended. There will be another auction sale on Saturday.

Those who attended the sewing party at the home of Benjamin Rickert were Mrs. Andrew Jordan, Mrs John Jordan, Mrs. Stuart Jordan, Mrs. C. S. Bodtorf and Mrs. Charles Stoner.

Rev. Hepler, of Bellefonte, preached an interesting sermon Tuesday evening in the school house at Colyer. He will deliver another sermon next Tuesday evening. All are cordially invited to attend.

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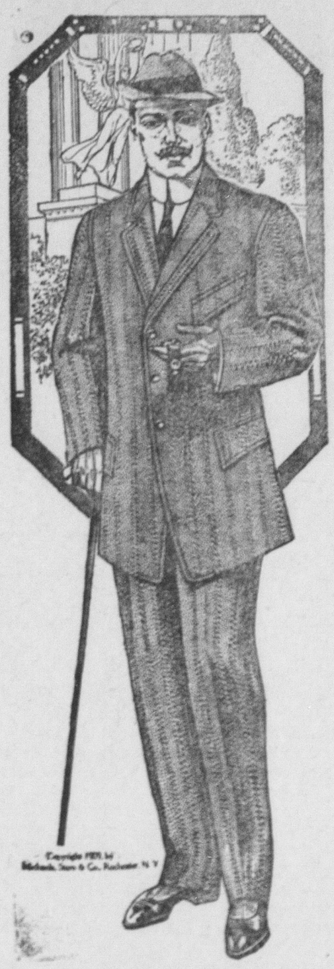

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LOCALS.

The announcements for family reunions are being made. The Shaffer-Hazel reunion will be held at Hecla Park, June 15th.

There will be auction at Miess' store, at Colyer, Saturday evening. Every one in that community knows just what that announcement means, and will be on hand.

Mildred Wieland, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F E. Wieland, and Mamie Cunningham, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Cunninghrm, of Linden Hall, are ill with scarlet fever.

John H. Bitner, who recently started in the milk business in Altoona, writes the Reporter that he is getting along nicely. The milk is shipped to him from several stations along the Henrietta branch of the P. R. R.

District Attorney W. G. Runkle has been seriously ill during the past few days. His illness began with grip a week or more ago, later other complications followed and on Monday and Tuesday his condition was somewhat alarming.

On Sunday evening, Rev. A. A. Black preached the sermon at the baccalaureate service held in the First Presbyterian church at Derry, for the Derry schools, of which Prof. J. C. Bryson is principal. Both Rev. Black and Principal Bryson were formerly of Boalsburg.

Calvin Smith and Miss Nellie Smith, son and daughter of J. Frank Smith for several days were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Sechrist, at Bellwood. Their main object in going there was to attend the graduation exercises of the Bellwood High School, Miss Ethel Sechrist being a member of the class.

Mrs. J. W. Keller and son Harry, a student at State College, and Misses Ruth Wieland and Ruth Ross, all of Linden Hall, on Tuesday evening came to Centre Hall in the former's Ford machine, and while here Mr. Keller took some of the associates of the young ladies a spin up and down the country.

Mr. and Mrs. William F. Floray, next Monday, will go to Williamsport, and while there will be entertained by Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Metzler, cousins of Mrs. Floray. Mr. Floray's main object in going to the thriving inland city is to attend the sessions of Grand Castle of the Knights of the Golden Eagle, which meets there on the 9th, 10th and 11th inst., being the delegate from the local lodge at Centre Hall.

C. E. Royer, of Spring Mills, president of the eleventh district Sunday-school association, appointed Miss Helen Bartholomew, of Centre Hall, superintendent of the Home Department, and Miss Orpha Gramley, superintendent of the Cradle Roll Department, for the district. The work of these superintendents will be to induce the Sunday-schools in district, covering Centre Hall boro., Potter and Gregg townships, to organize these departments.

Under the proper head will be found the political announcements of Messrs. Zimmerman and Woodring, the present county commissioners, for renomination; and also that of Mr. Williams, the present commissioners' clerk, who announces for the office of register. They are all Republicans, and are therefore appealing to the Republican readers of the Centre Reporter, who can call for and vote the Republican ballot at the September primaries, for their support.

The illness of District Attorney W. G. Runkle will make it impossible to try the commonwealth cases that would have come before the May term of court. Although he no doubt will recover before the opening of court, it will not be possible for him to prepare the cases. It may be that the grand jurors will be adjourned on Monday, after they report, or, it may be, that they will be notified not to appear, provided it is found that the court can do so under the law.

The storm Monday afternoon did damage in various parts of the county. West of Centre Hall a tall chimney was blown from the farm house on the J. T. Potter farm, fences in that neighborhood were also blown down. In parts of Brush Valley damage to fences, timber and orchards is also reported. On the Hale farm, tenanted by Calvin Corl, two miles northeast of Bellefonte, a portion of the barn was unroofed, and on the adjoining farm, owned by Mrs. John Kline, a large barn was blown three feet from its foundation.

DEATHS.

Mrs. Julia Anne Swanger, wife of Joseph Swanger, died at her home in Millheim, Friday of last week, of cancer of the stomach, aged sixty-one years, one month and fourteen days. Surviving are her husband, three brothers—Emmanuel and Jonathan Shreckengast, of Sugar Valley, and Adam Shreckengast, of Millheim—two sisters, Mrs. Auman, of Poe Valley, and Mrs. George Gingerich, of near Spring Mills; also one daughter, Mrs. Auman, of Millheim.

Interment was made in the Fairview cemetery, at Millheim, Monday morning, Rev. W. D. Donat, of the Reformed church assisted by Rev. W. J. Dice, of the United Evangelical church, being the ministers in charge.

John Daniel, son of John and Dora Siler, died April 26. He was born in Miles township, January 21, 1903. He was an invalid for three years and at times an intense sufferer. The funeral services were held Friday forenoon in the Reformed church at Rebersburg, conducted by Rev. G. A. Stauffer. Interment was made in the Union cemetery. He was aged eight years, three months and five days.

Mrs. James Askey, one of the old settlers of Aneco township, Illinois, passed away at her home at Pleasant Hill, death being due to apoplexy. Her maiden name was Harriet Jane Yarger, and was born at Jacksonville, this county, sixty-four years ago. She was married to Mr. Askey, now deceased, in 1873. Three children survive.

Regina Beezer, aged ten years, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ferdinand Beezer, died in Bellefonte, of scarlet fever. Interment was private.

LOCALS

Potatoes wanted. Write or telephone C. P. Long & Co., Spring Mills. t.f.

Iry Bartges, of Spring Mills, will represent Centre Castle, at the meeting of the Grand Castle in Williamsport, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday of next week.

Congressman Focht introduced a bill providing for a public building in Lewistown, to cost not over seventy-five thousand dollars. Congressman Focht is always working in the interest of his constituents.

Prof. James F. Wills was for the third time elected superintendent of schools in Mifflin county. Salary, $1500. Prof. Ira N. McCloskey was re-elected to the same position in Clinton county. Salary, $1600.

Since the public sales are over a number of horses have been sold at private sale at fully as high prices as was paid during the sale season. Two of the most recent sales were made by Sidney Poorman, east of Centre Hall, tenant on the Keller farm, and Foster Frazier, at Tusseyville, tenant on the Swartz farm. The former sold a mare to Bruce W. Ripka for $275, and the latter a driving horse for $220 to Harry Grove, of Pleasant Gap.

The demonstrations in pruning, spraying and general care of orchards given in various sections in Centre county by the state agricultural department, division of zoology, of which division Dr. H. A. Surface is the head, has induced the planting of fruit trees to a much larger extent than in previous years. The instruction received also induced many orchard owners to prune neglected trees, spray for the scale, and give the orchard more attention and hold it of greater value than to be used for a hog lot, about the best use many orchards were put to in the past. The results will be seen in the near future, which will give a further stimulous to fruit growing in Centre county.

Fence Posts.

The undersigned offers for sale the best quality young chestnut fence posts, six to seven feet in length, at his mill west of Centre Hall.
o.may11. JOHN F. TREASTER

Potatoes.

If you have potatoes to sell, call on or write W. GROSS MINGLE,
Centre Hall, Pa.

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AMOS KOCH, PROPRIETOR

This well-known hostelry is prepared to accommodate all travelers. 'Bus to and from all trains stopping at Oak Hall Station. Every effort is made to accommodate the traveling public. Livery attached.

WANTED—Local and traveling salesmen representing our reliable goods. Any man of good appearance who is not afraid of work can make this a satisfactory and permanent business. Write at once for terms. Outfit free. Territory unlimited. Big money can be made. Apply quick.
ALLEN NURSERY CO.,
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TWO-HORSE WAGON FOR SALE—The undersigned offers for sale a Conkling two-horse wagon, 2-inch tread, 3 1-2-inch skein, with lower and top box, all in good condition, good as new
SAMUEL WISE
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WANTED—Agent in Centra county for a high grade, medium priced line of automobiles. "Get in on this; you can save money." Write: Penn. Automobile Co., 7131 Kelly St., E. E Pittsburg, Pa.

AUCTIONEER—The undersigned announces that he is a practical auctioneer, and is ready to receive calls for farm stock, and real estate sales.
W. THOMAS BOAL,
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Mr. Farmer:

WHY DON'T you make these necessary repairs around the farm NOW, before Spring work opens up?

Are the floors bad in your cow stable, horse stable, chicken house, pig pen, and are the rats eating through the corn crib floor and the granary floor? Are your water troughs leaky, pig troughs eaten out, cistern top unsafe, cistern leaking badly, water drains broken, chimney tops spreading, cellar steps broken, and the cellar floor rough? If they are,

BUILD NEW WITH

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Everlasting :: Sanitary

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Write me to-day about what you intend to build. I will furnish you complete information for its construction in concrete. It will cost you nothing.

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CENTRE HALL, PA.
Portland Cement, Crushed Stone, Building Supplies o.may4

WE HAVE NOW ON HAND
A NEW LINE OF

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Very pretty; fine quality; cheap.

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All the STAPLE GROCERIES

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J. Q. A. KENNEDY

HIGH CLASS WORK DONE
SATISFACTION GUARANTEED
PRICES REASONABLE

For the past ten years I have been repairing Watches, Jewelry, etc., at my home west of Centre Hall, but of late I have given the business more attention, and in the future practically all my time will be devoted to the jewelry business.

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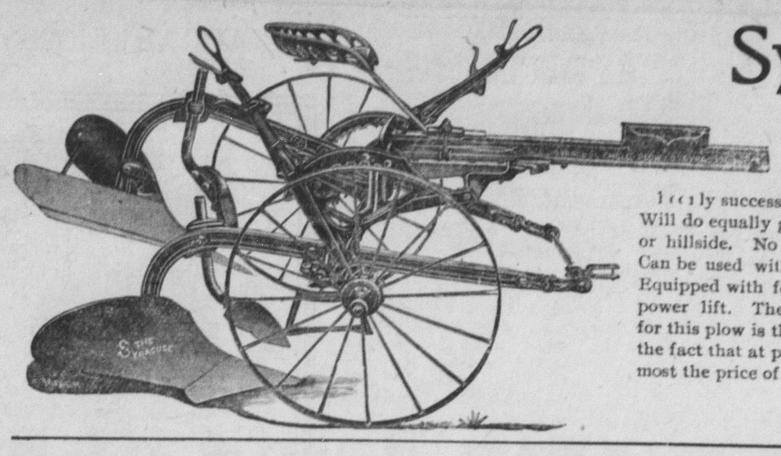
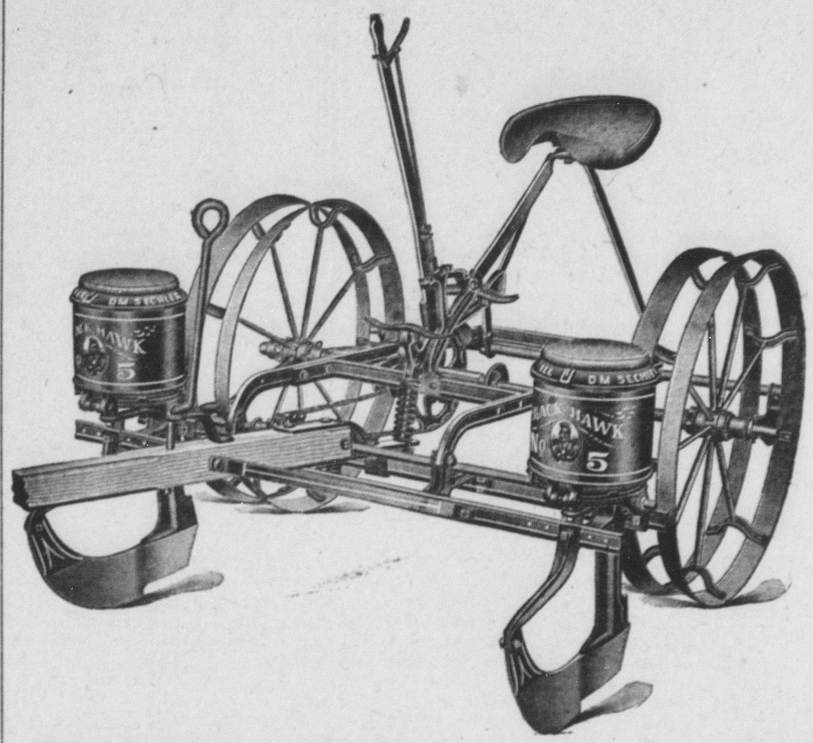
Centre Hall Pa.



Syracuse Reversible Sulky Plow

Truly successful hillside sulky made. Will do equally good work on level land or hillside. No dead or back furrows. Can be used with two or three horses. Equipped with foot trip which operates power lift. The best recommendation for this plow is the man who uses it, and the fact that at public sales it sold at almost the price of a new one.

NO. 5 BLACK HAWK OUR NEW TWO-ROW INDEPENDENT DRILL



Adjustment, from 3 feet to 3 feet 8 inches.

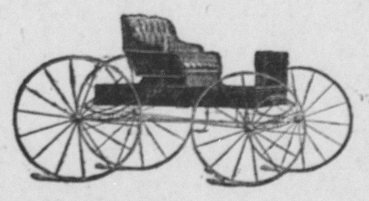
Wheels, 30 inches; open, concave or flat, as desired.

Planter regularly furnished with tongue, and 5 sets of seed plates.

With or without fertilizer attachment.

When specified, this drill will be furnished adjusted, 2 feet 4 inches and 3 feet 4 inches to 4 feet.

THE BLACK HAWK CORN PLANTER is not a new machine; it has long ago become popular among the best and most careful farmers. It sells on its merits.



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Hopp Carriage Co., of Mifflinburg

Builders of High Grade Carriages. The quality of their work is well known to our customers—there is none better and few as good.

The best quality of material goes into Hopp vehicles. Gears and shafts best selected second growth hickory. Warner banded hub, or 18-spoke Sarven.

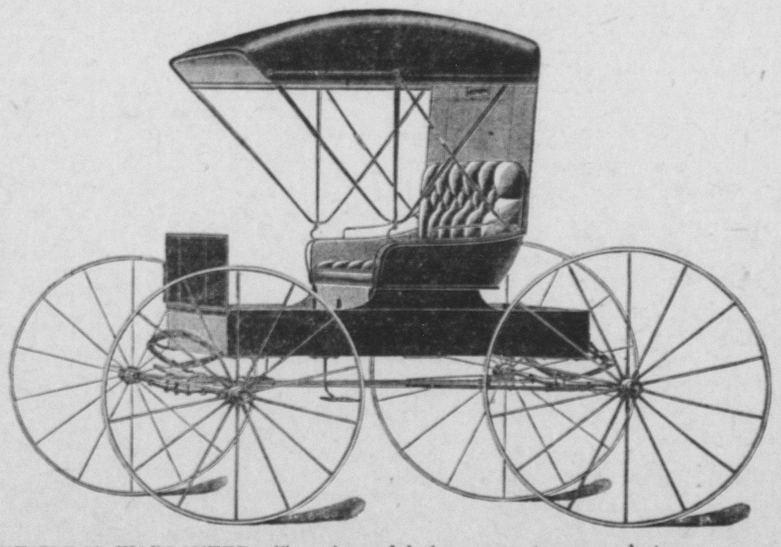
BODY — Made in Hopp factory from air-dried white ash; yellow poplar panels.

AXLES — Finest steel dug out collars; warranted dust and sand proof; long distance.

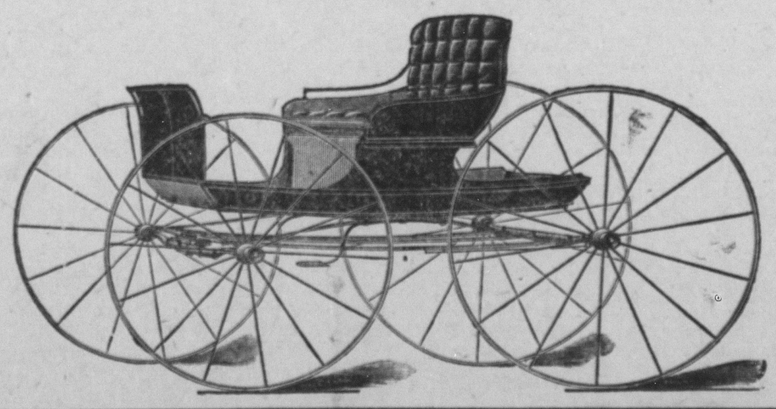
SPRINGS — Best grade leaf and oil tempered.

TRIMMINGS — 18-oz. all wool dyed cloth; hand buffed leather, or 28 oz Fairfield rubber.

PAINTING — Old lead and oil system.



EVERY VEHICLE IS WARRANTED. The maker and dealer are near to you, ready to correct any error in construction.



These are only a few of our Implements.

There is nothing the farmer needs in the implement and machinery line that we do not carry. Most of these are constantly on hand and we are willing to order anything else you may want.

All Grades of Fertilizers for spring crops and top dressing for grass crops. You can buy anything you want in this line.

One Price to All. That is our motto. One man's money is as good, but not better than the other's. Most of our machinery is bought in car load lots; we fix our price and use all customers alike. You can have time, if you want it.

Examine Our Machinery. You are always welcome to examine our machinery and secure prices. The former will bear inspection, and the prices are not a secret.

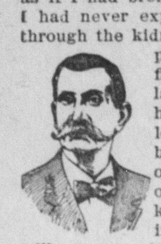
J. H. & S. E. WEBER

Centre Hall and Oak Hall Station

CURED THREE YEARS.

Not the Slightest Sign of Kidney Trouble Ever Returned.

W. H. Hall, 269 Main St., Orange, N. J., says: "My back was as useless as if I had broken it. Pains such as I had never experienced, struck me through the kidneys and I was nearly prostrated. I could not find rest or sleep and lay awake thinking how miserable was my lot. I had bad, throbbing headaches and often became dizzy. No one who has not had kidney trouble can imagine the misery it will cause. At last I began taking Doan's Kidney Pills and in a few weeks was a well man. For three years and I have been free from kidney trouble."



Remember the name—Doan's.

For sale by all dealers. 50 cents a box. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

HURT HIM.

Customer—That razor you're using must be rather old.

Barber—How can you tell, sir?

Customer—It has so many teeth.

SCRATCHED TILL BLOOD RAN

"When my boy was about three months old his head broke out with a rash which was very itchy and ran a watery fluid. We tried everything we could but he got worse all the time, till it spread to his arms, legs and then to his entire body. He got so bad that he came near dying. The rash would itch so that he would scratch till the blood ran, and a thin yellowish stuff would be all over his pillow in the morning. I had to put mittens on his hands to prevent him tearing his skin. He was so weak and run down that he took fainting spells as if he were dying. He was almost a skeleton and his little hands were thin like claws.

"He was bad about eight months when we tried Cuticura Remedies. I had not laid him down in his cradle in the daytime for a long while. I washed him with Cuticura Soap and put on one application of Cuticura Ointment and he was so soothed that he could sleep. You don't know how glad I was he felt better. It took one box of Cuticura Ointment and pretty near one cake of Cuticura Soap to cure him. I think our boy would have died but for the Cuticura Remedies and I shall always remain a firm friend of them. There has been no return of the trouble. I shall be glad to have you publish this true statement of his cure." (Signed) Mrs. M. C. Maitland, Jasper, Ontario, May 27, 1910.

It Might Help.

"My wife used to meet me at the door every night when I got home from work."

"Doesn't she do so any more?"

"No, never."

"Why not try taking home a little check to her two or three times a week?"

Dr. Pierce's Pellets, small, sugar-coated easy to take as candy, regulate and invigorate stomach, liver and bowels and cure constipation.

Men have more temptations than women, because they know where to look for them.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup for Children teething, softens the gums, reduces inflammation, allays pain, cures wind colic, 25c a bottle

It's easier for a shiftless man to make friends than to make good.

Biliousness

"I have used your valuable Cascarets and I find them perfect. Couldn't do without them. I have used them for some time for indigestion and biliousness and am now completely cured. Recommend them to everyone. Once tried, you will never be without them in the family."—Edward A. Marx, Albany, N.Y.

Pleasant, Palatable, Potent, Taste Good. Do Good. Never Sicken, Weaken or Gripe. 10c, 25c, 50c. Never sold in bulk. The genuine tablet stamped C C C. Guaranteed to cure or your money back. 929

Hale's Honey of Horehound and Tar for Coughs and Colds (Druggists)

Pike's Toothache Drops Cure in One Minute

ALL OVER THE STATE
TOLD IN SHORT ORDER

Mauch Cunk.—Work on the grading of the extension of the line of the Lehigh and New England Railroad from Danielsville to Tamaqua, via the Lizard Creek Valley, is progressing rapidly. In response to threats made by West Penn Township, Schuylkill County, farmers that unless the company came forward with the cash for the land over which the new road is to pass, the courts would be asked to grant injunctions, the company's claim agent took a trip through the valley this week to renew old options or pay the cash. This move is thought to indicate that the Lehigh Coal and Navigation Company has no hope of fixing up its differences with the Central Railroad of New Jersey and that the new road must now be built.

Reading.—Fish Warden Charles Nessley made a midnight raid at Glendale, in the southern end of Berks County, and took into custody James Harner, Charles Harner, Frank Quigley and Ernest Weaver on the charge of illegal fishing. It is alleged that the party visited trout streams in the vicinity of the Yellow House, and with a large net took nearly all the trout in the dam and in the streams.

Allentown.—Lewis F. Grammes, a leading manufacturer of this section, died suddenly of heart trouble in his sixty-seventh year. He had many patents for knitting machines and other mechanical contrivances, but his principal invention was the mailing machine. Mr. Grammes and his sons did the largest foreign business from Allentown.

Chester.—Amor Talley, treasurer of Lower Chichester Township, was severely injured by the explosion of an electric light globe on a Marcus Hook trolley car. Pieces of the glass struck him in the eye, necessitating the aid of an oculist. In spite of the pain he proceeded on his way to Media and reported for duty as a Civil Court juror.

York.—Because he did not like his new home, having changed his residence the first of April, Emanuel H. Heckert, seventy years old, committed suicide by shooting himself in the head. Two boys witnessed the tragedy, having followed Mr. Heckert from his house to the barn, believing he intended to kill rats. The boys crept near to where Mr. Heckert was sitting and saw him place a revolver to his head and fire.

Lewistown.—Mrs. Charles Reilly, 40 years old, died of burns received when she attempted to stamp out the flames of a rubbish fire that had communicated with straw in the stable yard and threatened the building. Rev. Mr. Rhoads jumped the fence and was badly burned on the hands and arms in an attempt to save the woman, whose clothing was a mass of flames.

Harrisburg.—Warrants were issued here for the arrest of Arthur Gleason, an Englishman, accused of having embezzled money belonging to three women living in Dorset, England. The information was made by Mrs. E. Harley, who met the man in Liverpool, and who, with her sisters, accompanied him to this country with money to invest. They charge that he secured the money and left for New York, leaving them stranded in this city.

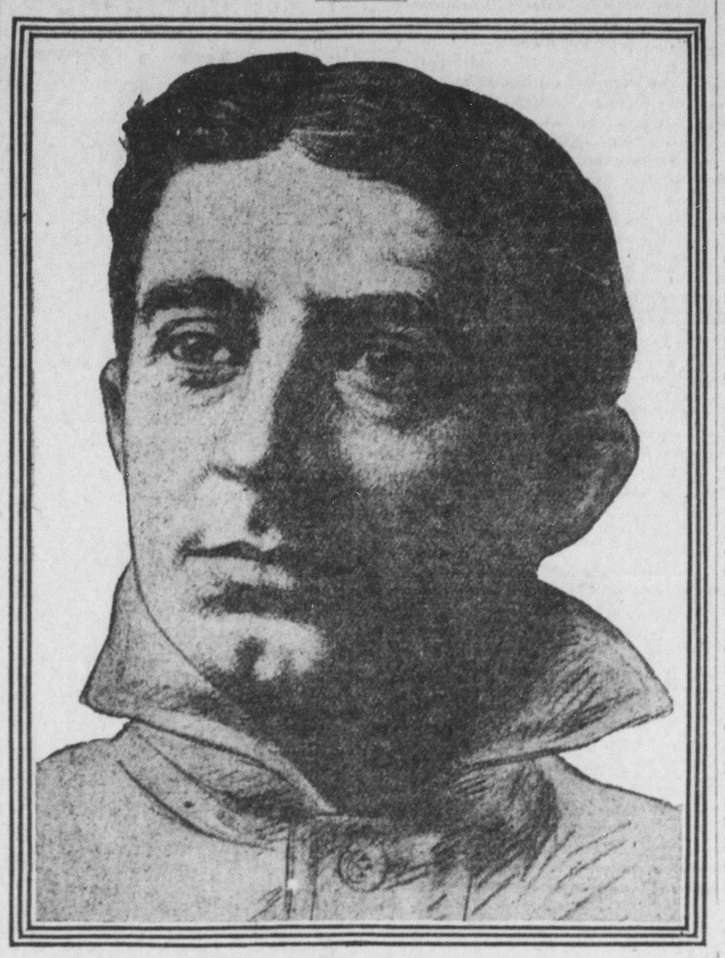
Bethlehem—Injuries which will result fatally occurred to Harold and Charles Pursel, aged 2 and 3 years old, sons of Levitt Pursel, of Holland, N. J. The babies, in the absence of their mother, got hold of matches. Playing with them near a couch, the latter became ignited. In trying to put out the blaze the clothing of the children caught fire and both were burned from head to foot.

Scranton.—Nine-year-old Tommy McLane, known to his companions as "Wild West," was hungry for pie, he saw a baker's wagon with eighty-two juicy, tempting pies on the street corner, got into the wagon and drove off. The most he could eat was six pies. The others he dumped into the street; drove the wagon to police headquarters and told the police he found it in "Me Fadder's barn." He was held for Juvenile Court.

Pottsville. — District Attorney Lyons has appealed to the Superior Court the cases of William Grow and William Jones, convicted of ballot box stuffing, but granted a new trial by Judge Brumm. The case was before Superior Court before and as a result Grow and Jones were remanded to jail and it is claimed that the lower court cannot now grant a new trial. Judge Brumm declared that the men were not properly defended and that circumstances have developed which show that an injustice has been done to them.

Stroudsburg.—Hurd's Sanitarium at North Wales Gap, was destroyed by fire together with a cottage, laundry, two ice houses and a large barn belonging to the Minisink Farm Company. The loss is estimated at $65,000. Hurd's Sanitarium was one of the oldest summer resort places at the Water Gap, and for years has been well patronized by Philadelphians. For a month the resort has been opened and a number were registered at the place. There was little difficulty for the guests to escape in safety, but most of them lost clothing and valuables.

VALUABLE ADVICE IN CATCHING



John Kling, Catcher for Champion Cubs.

John Kling, the Cubs' famous catcher, still receives credit for knowing all of the fine points behind the bat. Kling was asked the other day to give a talk on the scientific methods employed in baseball, and this is what he said:

"When I was a pitcher in semiprofessional teams around Kansas City I lost many games by trying to do too much, by throwing too often and by wearing myself out by wasted efforts. I was a failure as a ball player in several towns before experience taught me that one play at the right instant is worth ten at any other time.

"When I began catching one of the first things I learned was that the catcher can break up a team quicker than anyone else can. He need not even make an error to do it. One of the easiest ways to lose a game is for the catcher to throw too much. He may throw perfectly, and yet by keeping the infield moving and out of position, expecting his throws and studying him instead of watching the batter he may cause the game to be lost.

"My idea has been to make plays when they count and not to use too many signals. The infielders have a lot to watch and if the catcher keeps them watching him all the time he takes their minds off the other duties and causes them to make blunders.

"First and foremost in importance in winning is that the catcher never shall make or attempt to make any play, especially a throw, unless absolutely certain that the other men in the play have caught the signal, understand what is to be attempted and are prepared to make the play with him.

"A bad first baseman or one in whom the others have no confidence makes bad throwers of all. I believe in helping umpires and doing all I can to make their work easier. If they are let alone and not nagged at their work is much more satisfactory. I am not put out of ball games. I take as much interest as anybody, but I cannot see the use of kicking on decisions."

No International Track Meet.

English authorities say there will be no meeting between the Oxford-Cambridge and combined Harvard-Yale track and field teams this year.

SLOW BALL THING OF PAST

Christy Mathewson Says Style of Pitching Has Undergone Change in Fast Company.

Christy Mathewson is of the opinion that the day of the slow ball pitcher in fast company is a thing of the past.

"When I broke into the big league," said Christy the other day, "Win Mercer, Clarke Griffith, Red Donohue and other pitchers were getting away with their games and each one was depending upon a slow ball to a large extent. Billy Reidy and Dusty Rhoades followed them, but look over the list of pitchers in the two big leagues today and you will not find a single pitcher who is noted for his slow ball. There may be some who have a floater in their repertory, but they do not depend upon it to any extent.

"Today the big league pitcher must have speed. The majority of the big league pitchers are large men, but, large or small, they must be able to put steam on the ball or they go back to the minors. In fact, when a big league scout reports some minor leaguer to his employer, the first question that the latter asks is: 'Has he any smoke?'

"I have reasoned it out that the slow ball pitcher scarcely ever won his games by small scores and the clubs in the days when slow ball pitchers thrived generally had a lot of batters who won their games by big scores. It did not cause much damage if five or six runs were scored against a club that owned a slow ball pitcher if that team was able to go out and score seven or eight runs. But nowadays the scores are smaller and the man with the floater finds it difficult to stand the pace."

HAS BIGGEST BASEBALL HAND

Mike Kahoe, Scout for Washington Team, Says Eddie Ainsmith Will Be Greatest Catcher.

Eddie Ainsmith, the Nationals' young catcher,, who is attracting so much attention by his brilliant work, and who bids fair to be the sensation of the American league this season, carries around with him the largest pair of hands known to baseball.

So big are Ainsmith's bread hooks that he cannot buy gloves to fit, and during the cold days in Cambridge, Mass., he is forced to don mittens.

The digits on Ainsmith's throwing hand are badly twisted and look like branches of a guarded oak, but he is not handicapped in the least, and claims that this misshapen bunch of fives does not bother him in throwing to bases.

It has been said that Frank Bowerman of the New York Giants had only to hold up both hands and one might see the complete deaf and dumb alphabet there. According to the veteran, Mike Kahoe, Ainsmith's hands are almost twice the size of Bowerman's, and the scout also declares that in two years the former will be the greatest backstop known to organized baseball.

ATTELL WILL HAVE TO REST

Injury to Shoulder of Featherweight Champion May End His Long and Brilliant Career.

Abe Attell, the featherweight champion, who suffered another injury to his left shoulder in his bout with Frankie Burns in New York recently, has been ordered by his physicians not to fight again for at least six months and probably for a year. There is a possibility that the arm is so badly injured that Attell will never be able to return to the prize ring.

Enforcement of retirement for a year means a loss of from $30,000 to

Abe Attell.

$50,000 to the fighter, who had mapped out a busy campaign. One of his first matches was to have been with "Knockout" Brown, whom Manager Danny Morgan promised to send against the little champion as soon as Brown's ear was again in shape. Attell rested more than two months after the arm was first injured in his bout with Kilbane at Cleveland, but the rest did not prove long enough.

Capablanaca May Meet Lasker.

Capablanaca may meet Dr. Lasker, the champion, in a class match.

SPEAKER IS BEST FIELDER

Boston Fans, Who Are Well Informed, Claim Texan Is Greatest of All in Center Garden.

Boston baseball fans, the best informed and the most discriminating, say Tris Speaker is the best center fielder in the world.

He is seen every day in center field making difficult fly balls look easy, running like a greyhound into the right fielder's or left fielder's territory, and we see him at the plate swinging his bat nonchalantly, eyeing the pitcher like a hawk and waiting for him to send up the kind of ball he is waiting for; but the public never gets very close to a ball player—never knows what kind of a man he really is.

Tris Speaker is a Texan. How did he come by the name of Tris? He was asked the question.

"Oh, I don't know," he replied; "they just call me that."

Speaker is twenty-eight years old, weighs 180 pounds and stands 5 feet 11 inches high. He has the rough complexion of one who has spent most of his life in the open air. He has heavy, muddy, bloodshot eyes, not the kind one would imagine could pick out a good ball and paste it to the far corner of the field, or could start after the ball at the crack and judge to an inch where that ball is going to land.

He has a voice like rumbling thunder, and his softest words sound like the growl of a mastiff. He has large, powerful hands, freckled.

Speaker lives in winter in Hubbard City, Tex., which is not a city at all, but a small post village near Dallas, having a population of 894 in summer and 895 when Speaker is there.

He goes back home at the close of the baseball season and spends the

Tris Speaker.

first few weeks hunting, and then turns to the cattle industry. He is a regular Texas cowboy in the saddle and can do as much with a horse as he can with a baseball bat.

Sporting Gossip.

Louisville has released Pitcher Powers to Columbus, S. C.

Ball games Sunday before noon at Oakland, Cal., have proved successful from a patronage point of view.

Baseball's "bad boys" are gradually dropping out of the game. Managers will not waste their time on the loose livers.

Comiskey says Jimmy Callahan is the "wonder of the decade," that Cal has come back with a vengeance, good as ever.

"Buck" Freeman, the home-run kid from Boston, is still in the game and will manage a team in the Northwestern league.

Eugene Sampson, pitcher and captain of Westminster college last year, has accepted terms with the Philadelphia National league team.

Jerry Downs, the former Washington player, is showing up well as a first baseman for the Columbus team in the American association.

Clark Griffith, like Bobby Wallace, it is said, wants no more of Hot Springs as a training camp and the Reds may go into Texas next spring, probably to San Antonio.

John Ganzel is to make his permanent home in Rochester. He has bought a lot in an aristocratic residence section and is now building a house that will cost him $10,000.

George McQuillen's brother, Earl, has signed with Aurora in the Wisconsin-Illinois league. He is also a pitcher and hopes some day to be as famous as the Cincinnati flinger.

CURE THAT CATARRH

Our climate with its sudden changes is conducive to catarrh—which is a chronic inflammation of the mucous membrane surface of head—nose or throat.

One month's local treatment with Paxtine Toilet Antiseptic will convince the most skeptical that Paxtine is not a palliative but a specific for all catarrhal conditions.

Paxtine is a perfectly harmless antiseptic and germicide in powder form which contains all of the antiseptic qualities of liquid antiseptics, but with other valuable cleansing, germicidal, and healing ingredients added.

Just a little in a glass of water as needed—used as a spray and gargle, will not only remove the accumulated secretions, but heals the inflammation, destroys the germs of disease, and dispels the disagreeable odor caused by chronic catarrh.

For sale at all druggists, 25c and 50c a box, or postpaid upon receipt of price. The Paxton Toilet Company, Boston, Mass. Send for a free sample.

Churches and Tuberculosis.

Statistics showing how serious a problem tuberculosis is to the ordinary church congregation have been issued by the National Association for the Study and Prevention of Tuberculosis. From reports received from over 725 churches, with a membership of over 312,000 communicants of twenty denominations, and from 208 cities and towns in 12 states in various parts of the country, out of nearly 7,000 deaths in 1910, over 700 or 10 per cent., were caused by tuberculosis. This means 2.24 deaths for every thousand members or communicants. While the percentage of deaths from tuberculosis compared with other diseases is not higher in the churches, according to these figures, than in the country at large, the tuberculosis death rate, as shown by the church returns, is higher per thousand communicants than that for the general population in the registration area of the United States, which the census bureau gave as 1.67 in 1909.

Evidently an Amateur.

"Getting ready for your suburban gardening?"

"Yep. I've got a spade, a pick, a hoe, a rake and some garden seeds, but I've ransacked the market and nobody seems to have any angle worms for sale."

Important to Mothers

Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, a safe and sure remedy for infants and children, and see that it

Bears the Signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher*

In Use For Over 30 Years.

Children Cry for Fletcher's Castoria

Confirmed.

Randall—Has a reputation for bravery, has he?

Rogers—Yes, with every one who has been his wife.—Life.

For COLDS and GRIP

Hicks' CAPUDINE is the best remedy—relieves the aching and feverishness—cures the Cold and restores normal conditions. It's liquid—effects immediately. 10c., 25c., and 50c. At drug stores.

Consistent.

He—I was born on the second of April.

She—Late—as usual.—Life.

For your own sake, don't wait until it happens. It may be a headache, toothache, earache, or some painful accident. Hamlins Wizard Oil will cure it. Get a bottle now.

You are not responsible for the disposition you were born with, but you are responsible for the one you die with.—Babcock.

Facts About Motherhood

The experience of Motherhood is a trying one to most women and marks distinctly an epoch in their lives. Not one woman in a hundred is prepared or understands how to properly care for herself. Of course nearly every woman nowadays has medical treatment at the time of child-birth, but many approach the experience with an organism unfitted for the trial of strength, and when the strain is over her system has received a shock from which it is hard to recover. Following right upon this comes the nervous strain of caring for the child, and a distinct change in the mother results.

There is nothing more charming than a happy and healthy mother of children, and indeed child-birth under right conditions need be no hazard to health or beauty. The unexplainable thing is that, with all the evidence of shattered nerves and broken health resulting from an unprepared condition, women will persist in going blindly to the trial.

It isn't as though the experience came upon them unawares. They have ample time in which to prepare, but they, for the most part, trust to chance and pay the penalty.

In many homes once childless there are now children because of the fact that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound makes women normal, healthy, and strong.

Any woman who would like special advice in regard to this matter is cordially invited to write to Mrs. Pinkham at Lynn, Mass. Her letter will be held in strict confidence.

ARE YOU FREE —FROM—

Headaches, Colds, Indigestion, Pains, Constipation, Sour Stomach, Dizziness? If you are not, the most effective, prompt and pleasant method of getting rid of them is to take, now and then, a desertspoonful of the ever refreshing and truly beneficial laxative remedy—Syrup of Figs and Elixir of Senna. It is well known throughout the world as the best of family laxative remedies, because it acts so gently and strengthens naturally without irritating the system in any way.

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Pettit's Eye Salve — 100 Years Old — Relieves Sore Eyes

ANXIETY WAS FOR THE KEG

Overcharge a Small Matter, but Customer Did Hate to See Good Material Hurt.

Every nail-keg in the store had its occupant, the checker-board was working overtime, and mittens and mufflers were stuffed in bulgy pockets, as their owners drew closer round the big, rusty stove.

The door opened noisily, letting in a blast of the storm raging outside, and in its wake followed Rufe Blevins, a giant wood-chopper, whose good nature and ready wit made him a welcome addition to the store circle.

The loafers moved a little closer together to make room for Rufe on a soap-box, but he marched past the friendly circle, plumped an empty molasses-keg down on the counter, and drew a stained bill from his pocket, which he held out to the proprietor of the store.

An expectant grin went round the circle, for Storekeeper Jones had the reputation of never wronging himself by overweighing or undercharging. The merchant adjusted his glasses and looked expectantly from the bill to the wood-chopper.

"Notice you charged me for five gallons o' molasses last time I had this four-gallon keg filled," drawled Rufe. "I don't mind payin' for the extra gallon, Mr. Jones, but I do kinder hate to have a good keg strained to pieces."—Youth's Companion.

It Was Muffing.

"'Bugs' Raymond, the handsome and brilliant pitcher of the New York Giants, is a great wit on the field," said a sporting editor at the Pen and Pencil club in Philadelphia.

"Raymond was disgusted one day at his team's wretched outfielding. Batter after batter sent up high flies, and these easy balls were muffed alternately by left and center.

"Bugs at the sixth muff threw down his glove and stamped on it.

"'There's an epidemic in the outfield,' he said, 'but, by Jingo! it isn't catching.'"

Met His Match.

Alkali Ike—They have just taken Roaring Bill to the hospital.

Pistol Pete—What happened to him?

Alkali Ike—He tried to break up a suffragist meeting.—Judge.

A WIDOW'S LUCK

Quit the Thing That Was Slowly Injuring Her.

A woman tells how coffee kept her from insuring her life:

"I suffered for many years chiefly from trouble with my heart, with severe nervous headaches and neuralgia; but although incapacitated at times for my housework, I did not realize the gravity of my condition till I was rejected for life insurance, because, the examining physician said, my heart was so bad he could not pass me.

"This distressed me very much, as I was a widow and had a child dependent upon me. It was to protect her future that I wanted to insure my life.

"Fortunately for me, I happened to read an advertisement containing a testimonial from a man who had been affected in the same way that I was with heart trouble, and who was benefited by leaving off coffee and using Postum. I grasped at the hope this held out, and made the change at once.

"My health began to improve immediately. The headaches and neuralgia disappeared, I gained in flesh, and my appetite came back to me. Greatest of all, my heart was strengthened from the beginning, and soon all the distressing symptoms passed away. No more waking up in the night with my heart trying to fly out of my mouth!

"Then I again made application for life insurance, and had no trouble in passing the medical examination.

"It was seven years ago that I began to use Postum and I am using it still, and shall continue to do so, as I find it a guarantee of good health." Name given by Postum Company, Battle Creek, Mich.

"There's a reason."

Read the big little book, "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs.

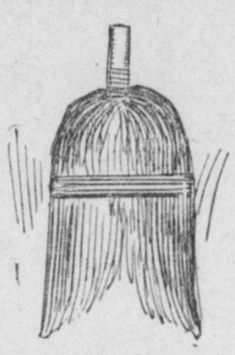
Ever read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are genuine, true, and full of human interest.

DAIRY

CLEANER FOR SMALL CORNERS

One Shown in Illustration Will Be Found Handy in Getting at Places Broom Won't Reach.

Use for a corner cleaner an old whisk broom, or a large one, if desired. Cut it down to the form shown in the cut. Do not make the points



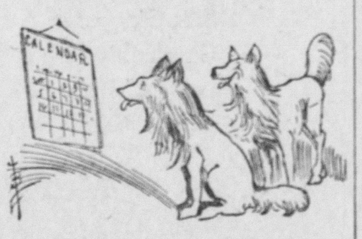
A Corner Cleaner.

too long, or they will not be stiff enough to drag out the dirt. This will be found handy in cleaning stairs, corners and other places which cannot be reached by a common broom.

KEEP TRACK OF CHURN DAYS

Collie Dogs Used on Treadmill Disappear on Monday and Thursday—Animals Got Wise.

Clark Rogers, a farmer, for more than a year has used his two big collie dogs in his treadmill to run the dairy churn. Churning days were Monday and Thursday. The dogs became tired of the job and made it a point to disappear from the farm on those days. Rogers was obliged to change the date of his churning three different times, as it only took about three weeks for the dogs to learn the dates when they were expected to perform, when they would disappear He finally went back to Mondays and Thursdays and now takes the precau-



Kept Track of Churning Days.

tion to chain up the dogs on Sunday and Wednesday afternoons, in order to insure their presence on churning days.

Dairy Tests.

George H. McFadden of Bryn Mawr, Pa., won the second prize of $50 in the home dairy test of Ayrshires. For the year ending March 31, 1910, his five cows gave 47,136 pounds of milk, 2168.10 pounds of fat and were credited with 85,178 points. In the same test five cows belonging to the Friends' asylum, Frankfort, Pa., fifth prize of $20 was given, the record being 46,136 pounds of milk, 1617.16 pounds of fat and 74,435 points. In the test which ended September 30, Asley farm, Media, Pa., won third prize of $40 for five cows giving 46,957 pounds of milk, 1885.23 pounds of fat and 79,948 points. The Friends' asylum won fourth prize of $30 for 44,260 pounds of milk, 1980.92 pounds of fat and 78,926 points.

Produce Good Stock.

As to whether to produce pure-bred cows or grade cows you must decide for yourself. There is more profit in pure-bred cows, but you can begin the production of grades with less capital and for the inexperienced there is perhaps less opportunity for loss. But a pure-bred bull and a good one you must have. The only way to economize in buying a bull is to get the very best one you can possibly afford. From the breeder's viewpoint the bull is half the herd; $150 is little enough to pay for a bull calf and $400 invested in a bull will bring you greater returns if you have only ten cows than will the same amount invested in a team of horses to work on your farm or to drive to your milk wagon.

Remedy for Constipation.

If the cow is constipated give one pound of epsom salts, one handful of fine table salt and half an ounce of ground ginger, mixed in two quarts of water, well sweetened with molasses. After it is dissolved, give in one dose; it may be mixed with the wheat bran. If mixed in the bran it should be well sweetened or the cow will not eat it.

Minimize Bacteria Content.

Anything that tends to eliminate dust previous to, or during milking, will minimize the bacteria content of the milk.

No Best Grade.

No one grade of dairy products is best suited for all conditions.

PRACTICE SOILING FOR COWS

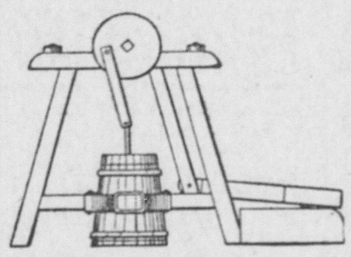
Tried at New Jersey Experiment Station, Where Three Animals Kept on Feed From One Acre.

The Jersey experiment station practices soiling altogether for their cows. They sow rye, which comes on first in the spring. With the rye hairy vetch is seeded and the two make a splendid feed, besides the vetch enriches the land. The next crop is wheat, which also has vetch seeded with it. Following the wheat are oats and Canada field peas, and again the peas not only help to balance up the oats, but at the same time improve the land, being a legume. Following the cutting of the rye, cowpeas and soy beans, fodder corn, etc., are planted. These can be harvested in time to sow the ground down to the same crops for next year, and later on the silo is opened. Professor Minkler stated that he had been able to keep three cows during the summer on the feed grown on one acre of ground. Could this method not be practicable on many farms? Suppose an acre or two is fenced off in the cow pasture and seeded to oats and Canada field peas in March, this crop cut off and fed in June, the first of July the ground sown to cowpeas and these harvested in September, and the ground seeded to rye and hairy vetch. In this way the land would not become exhausted very rapidly. The roots and stubble would almost or quite furnish the humus content, the legumes the nitrogen, and by adding a little potash and phosphorus one should grow crops for years on the same ground.

OPERATING CHURN BY FOOT

One Shown in Illustration Is Patterned After Grindstone—Plunger Connection Attached.

Hundreds of churns of all kinds have been invented in past years, but



Foot-Operated Churn.

the idea shown in the illustration is somewhat unique because patterned after the foot-worked grindstone. A wooden wheel takes the place of the grindstone, and to this is attached the plunger connection. The churn is attached to the under part of the frame by a belt.

MAKING INVESTMENT IN FEED

Man With New Viewpoint May Make 200 Per Cent. Per Annum Interest.

To look upon the buying of millfeed as an investment rather than an expense may change a dairyman from a miser into a business man. For, while the short-sighted individual may feed one dollar's worth of concentrates per month to a good cow and realize there for $1.50, the man with the new viewpoint may, by increasing to $4 per month, get a return of $5. He has gone the same number of times to the grain bin and silo, milked the same number of times, and cleaned the stable the same number of times, yet the simple investment of $3 has at the end of one month earned 50 cents interest. If he turns this $3 over again and again as a business merchant does, at the end of six months the investment has been doubled. In other words, it has made 200 per cent. per annum interest.

Care After Freshening.

For a short time after freshening a good cow will give a good mess of milk with just ordinary care, but if she is to continue the good work it will take a careful choreman and a good feeder to look after her.

DAIRY NOTES

See that the drinking places are clean and safe.

Jersey cows are noted the world over for their rich milk.

Give the regular ration in the stable until the pastures are full.

Cheese curd may sometimes be improved by washing in order to remove defects.

Probably the most common form of contamination of milk is by means of bacteria.

If a small number of calves are fed and it is possible to grind cob meal, there is no finer feed.

Tests show that a cement floor is colder than a board floor where other conditions are the same.

The one thing paramount in the mind of the dairyman is the question of economical production.

Milk as it leaves the udder of a healthy cow is practically pure, free from germs and foreign matter.

It appears that the only way to have good cows is to raise them yourself, and weed out some of the poorest.

The Holsteins and Ayrshires are great milk-producing breeds, the Holsteins possibly leading just a little in quantity.

The cow that shows a profit at the end of the year gives more real satisfaction than a phenomenal producer who does her work at a loss.

COMMERCIAL

Weekly Review of Trade and Market Reports.

R. G. Dun & Co.'s weekly review of trade says:

Business continues to move slowly, its volume, though large, being much below producing capacity and displaying a lack of interest and vigor. The accumulating deposits and reserves of the banks are one of the results of the general trade recession, but they impart strength to the banks and will enable them readily to finance the forward movement of enterprise whenever it sets in.

Bradstreets says:

Trade and industry are quiet to dull, reports varying with sections and lines reporting. For this weather, crop and tariff uncertainties are held variously responsible. The season as a whole has been cold and backward. In wholesale lines, price uncertainties and the pending tariff discussions tend to restrict future trade. There is also a rather widespread complaint as to slow collections. Industry is quiet, waiting upon demand, which is cautious to the limit of conservatism. Commodity prices show a tendency to steady, though Canadian reciprocity discussion tends to unsettle trade in farm produce.

Wholesale Markets

NEW YORK. — Wheat — Spot steady; No. 2 red, 93½c elevator and 94¾ f o b afloat; No. 1 Northern Duluth, $1.05⅝ f o b afloat.

Corn—Spot easy; exports No. 2, 57½c f o b afloat.

Hay firmer; prime, $1.20; No. 1, $1.10; No. 2, $1; No. 3, 80@90c.

Butter firm; receipts, 12,398. Creamery, special, 22½@23c; extras, 22; firsts, 20@21; seconds, 18@19; creamery, held extras, 19½@20; firsts, 18@18½; seconds, 16½@17½; state dairy, finest, 21@22.

Eggs firm; Pennsylvania and nearby hennery brown, 17½@18½; do, brown and mixed, gathered, 17@17½; Western duck eggs, 23@26.

PHILADELPHIA.—Wheat steady; contract grade No. 2 red in export elevator, 90½@91½. Oats firm; No. 2 white natural, 39.

Butter firm, 1 c higher; extra Western creamery, 24c; do, nearby prints, 25.

Eggs steady; Pennsylvania and other nearby firsts f c, $5.10 per case; do, current receipts, f c. $4.95 per case; Western firsts f c, $5.10 per case; do, current receipts, f c, $4.95 per case.

Live poultry quiet; fowls lower. Fowls, 16½@17c; old roosters, 11½@12; chickens, choice, 19@20; do, staggy, 15@14; ducks, 18@19; geese, 13@14.

BALTIMORE. — Wheat — No. 2 Red Western 90⅝c; contract, 90⅝c; No. 3 Red, 88⅝c; steamer No. 2 Red, 86⅝; steamer No. 2 Red Western 86⅝c. The closing was dull and lower; spot and April, 90⅜c. bid; May, 90⅜c.

Corn—Contract, 54⅜c; steamer mixed, 51⅞; steamer yellow, 51⅞; no established grade, 50⅞. The closing was firm; spot and April, 54½c; May, 54¾.

Oats—No. 2 white, 38@38¼; standard white, 37½@37¾; No. 3 white, 37¼@37½.

Hay—No. 1 timothy, $20.50@21; No. 2, $19.50@20; No. 3 do, $14@16.50; choice clover mixed, $18.50@19; No. clover mixed, $17.50@18.50; No. 2 do, $14@16; No. 1 clover, $16@16.40; No. 2 do, $14.50@15; meadow grass and packing hay, $10@12; no grade hay, as to kind, quality and condition, $8@12.

Butter—Creamery, fancy, 22½@23; creamery, choice, 21@22; creamery, good, 19@20; creamery imitation, 18@20; creamery, prints, 25@27.

Eggs — Maryland, Pennsylvania and nearby firsts, 16c; Western firsts, 16; West Virginia firsts, 16; Southern firsts, 15@15½c; guinea eggs, 8c; duck eggs, nearby, 21c; do, Southern, 21c; geese eggs, 30c.

Live Poultry—Chickens; old hens, heavy, 16c; do, small to medium, 16; young, choice, 20@22; winter, 2 lbs and under, 25@28; spring, 1 to 1¼ lbs, 35@40; old roosters, 10c. Ducks—White Pekings, 15@16; Muscovy and mongrel, 14@15; puddle, 14@15.

Live Stock

CHICAGO, ILL.—Close; Cattle market weak at early decline. Beeves, $5.15@6.70; Texas steers, $4.00@5.60; Western steers, $4.80@5.80; stockers and feeders, $4@5.75; cows and heifers, $2.70@5.80; calves, $4.75@6.50.

Sheep; market weak; early decline; native, $3@4.70; Western, $3.15@4.70; yearlings, $4.30@5.25; lambs; native, $4.50@6.15; Western, $4.75@6.15.

KANSAS CITY, MO.—Cattle; market 15c. lower. Calves, 25c lower. Dressed beef and export steers, $5.85@6.35; fair to good, $5.35@5.80. Western steers, $4.75@6; stockers and feeders, $5@5.75; Southern steers, $4.75@5.85; Southern cows, $3.25@5.25; native cows, $3@5.50; native heifers, $4.75@6; bulls, $4@5.25; calves, $4.50@7.

Hogs—Market 10c to 20c lower. Bulk of sales, $6.10@6.25; heavy, $6.05@6.17½; packers and butchers', $6.15@6.20; lights, $6.20@6.35.

That Tired Feeling

That comes to you every spring is a sign that your blood is wanting in vitality, just as pimples and other eruptions are signs that it is impure. Do not delay treatment; begin at once to take

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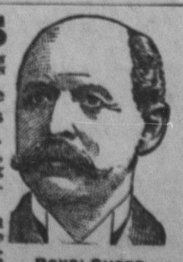

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THE CENTRE REPORTER.

THURSDAY, MAY 4, 1911.

Harris Township

Mrs. William Hoy, of State College, was in town on Tuesday.

Monday afternoon we had a thunder shower accompanied by hail.

D. W. Myer is spending some time with relatives in the Mountain City.

Miss Blanche Rowe, of Walnut Grove, spent last week at Boalsburg.

John Murray, of Lemont, spent Saturday at the home of his brother W. A. Murray.

David Stuart, of Bellevue, visited at the home of his brother W. W. Stuart, on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Fisher and son, of Sunbury, were visitors in Boalsburg over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Dale and daughter, Miss Mildred, of Dale Summit, spent Sunday at Boalsburg.

Miss Nellie Harrison, of Jersey Shore, visited at the home of her brother, R. B. Harrison.

Mrs. Katharine Walker, of Barre Forge, visited at the home of her brother Edward Lucas, last week.

Mrs. John Zeigler, of Wolf's Chapel, spent Sunday at Boalsburg, where she was a guest at the home of her brother, C. M. Wieland.

John Gettig, who spent the winter with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Ishler, departed on Saturday for his home near Pittsburg.

Mrs. Emeline Hess, of Bellefonte, is enjoying this week with relatives and associates in this her former place of residence.

A number of young people from here attended the Easter service given by the Sunday School held in the Branch school house.

John Kuhn visited his daughter, Mrs. F. W, Weber, at Hecla Park, who is suffering from inflammatory rheumatism.

There will be service in the Reformed church next Sunday evening at 7:30. One of the ministers attending Classis will preach.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Corl with their niece, Miss Elizabeth Close, spent Sunday with Joseph Meyer and family at Axe Mann.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Meyer and son Albert, Christ Meyer and family, Mrs. E. A. Fisher and Mrs. George Shugert attended the funeral of George Keichline.

Mrs. Sarah Stover who spent several weeks with her daughter, Mrs. Elmer Ishler, and other relatives at Boalsburg returned to her home at Centre Hall on Saturday.

A sermon on the history of the bible was preached in the Presbyterian church Sunday evening by the pastor, Rev. W. K. Harnish, which was both instructive and edifying.

William Brouse, who for quite a number of years was employed at the planing mill at Oak Hall, was obliged to give up the work on account of failing health. Out-of-door work was suggested by his physician. He is now getting around the country gathering produce for W. Ferree, at Oak Hall.

Mrs. Eunice Campbell, who spent several weeks with her mother, Mrs. Hannah Woomer, departed on Tuesday for Nevada, Ohio, whither she has gone to be of some help and comfort to her brother, John Woomer, who is mourning the death of his wife which occurred four weeks ago. Three children were left homeless, the eldest being twelve years of age. Mr. Woomer has been greatly afflicted during the past year, having suffered a sunstroke last spring, then his right hand became sore, causing blood poison which spread through his system. He had been farming near Ashland, Ohio, but not being able to work he disposed of his farm stock and moved to Nevada. His right arm and hand are entirely helpless. With his left hand he is doing light work in a creamery. Mr. Woomer was born in Boalsburg where he grew to manhood, having been employed on a number of farms in this vicinity. He always proved to be a reliable helper. The people of this place greatly sympathize with him.

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When Murray & Bitner, the enterprising druggists, first offered a 50 cent package of Dr. Howard's specific for the cure of constipation and dyspepsia at half price, and guaranteed to return the money if it did not cure, they thought it probable from their experience with other medicines for these diseases that they would have a good many packages returned. But although they have sold hundreds of bottles, not one has been brought back.

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Lewisburg and Montandon will be connected by trolley within a few weeks. The cars will run on the L. & T. tracks.

Rearick's Furniture Store offers a few more bargains at their wholesale price sale. This is the last offer. See advertisement.

SERMON ON TUBERCULOSIS.

Rev. Bieber Talked on That Subject Sunday Afternoon.

In response to a request by the tuberculosis congress Rev. B. F. Bieber, pastor of the Lutheran church, delivered a sermon on sanitation, with special reference to tuberculosis.

When it is recalled that tuberculosis causes about one-third of the deaths that occur between the ages of twenty and fifty years it becomes at once apparent what an enormous influence the suppression of this one disease must exercise upon the development and progress of society. The eradication of tuberculosis is among the chief ends to be accomplished by all the agencies which are striving to uplift human society and to make its individual units more efficient and self sustaining. Hence the conquest of tuberculosis becomes the proper field of endeavor for the statesman, legislator, physician, minister and layman.

Speaking on this subject, President Taft says:

"We have an agricultural department, and we are spending $14,000,000 or $15,000,000 a year to tell the farmers by the results of our research how they ought to treat the soil and how they ought to treat the hogs, cattle and horses, with a view of having good hogs and good cattle and good horses. There is nothing in the constitution especially about hogs or cattle or horses, and if out of the public treasury at Washington we can establish a department for that purpose it does not seem to be a long step or a stretch of logic to say that we have the power to spend the money in a bureau of research to tell how we can develop good men and good women. Some of our enthusiastic conservators of national resources have calculated how much the life of each man and each woman in the community is worth to that community. I do not think it necessary to resort to that financial calculation in order to justify the saving of human life, such as can be accomplished by the results of research and advice that will proceed from a properly established bureau of health."

LOCALS

The graduation exercises of the Centre Hall High School will be held in Grange Arcadia, Tuesday evening, May 9th. The class is composed of five members.

The general appropriation bill to be passed by the Pennsylvania legislature carries with it between thirty-three and thirty-four million dollars—not a mean sum.

The gradusting class of the Centre Hall High School cordially invites you to be present at the commencement exercises to be held in Grange Arcadia, Tuesday evening, 9th inst.

Governor Tener approved the E. E Jones house bill appropriation $690,000 to pay the state bonus to townships which have abolished the work tax on roads, and at the same time signed a number of measures of lesser importance.

Mrs. Deitzel, wife of Rev. H. S. Deitzel, of Pleasant Unity, is at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Durst, in Centre Hall. Mrs. Durst has been quite ill for some weeks, and it is to comfort and assist in caring for her that Mrs. Deitzel came here.

The dwelling house recently purchased by James Reish has undergone extensive improvements during the past two months. This week it was painted, thereby adding much to the appearance of the same. A barn has also been erected by the Lucas carpenters.

Messrs. E. M. Huyett and A. R McNitt, members of the firm of McNitt-Huyett Lumber Company, on Monday started on a trip to West Virginia and Kentucky to look over some lumber operations in which the firm is financially interested. Both gentlemen have been over most of the territory heretofore. They will be gone ten days or more.

"Heart of Oak," 2:17¼ pacing, has produced speed from common mares, and a horse with speed inheritance like his should produce speed from most any mare. Gambetta Wilkes, his sire, has two hundred and thirteen in the standard list, eighteen of which are 2:10; his dam has produced six in the list, two better than 2:07 This horse stands at the stable of J. H. Detwiler, east of Centre Hall. See his advertisement in this issue.

A heavy charge of dynamite exploded in the quarry being operated by the Millheim Pike Company, between Millheim and Coburn, which resulted disastrously. Elias Stover, a farm hand employed by Marcellus Saukey, was hauling coal for the company, and with a team was at the quarry at the time the charge exploded. Mr. Stover was knocked from the wagon, and received slight injuries One of the horses was hit by a flying stone, and knocked down, and its mate was thoroughly shaken up by the jar.

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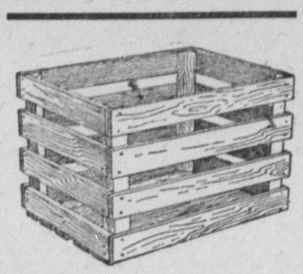

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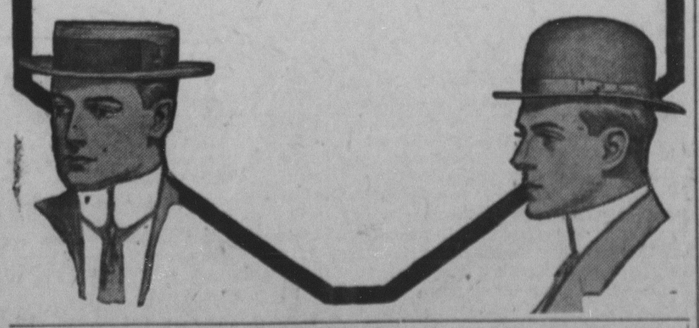

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